



CRAWFORD COUNTY AVALANCHE

Tackle It!

It's the first week of Football Contest season. Catch the tough ones on page 2B

Site excavation set to begin at jail

By Terry Wright
Staff Writer

Excavation of contaminated soils at the Crawford County Jail expansion site is on course to begin in the very near future.

"I would guess excavation will begin sometime in September," said County Building Authority member Joe Wakeley. "They'll probably get the footings in this fall, but actual construction probably won't happen until spring, depending on the weather."

Wakeley recently presented a proposal of services, connected with the excavation, from Mackinac Environmental Technology Inc. (MET) to the Crawford County Board of Commissioners.

The MET plan included tasks which prepare general specifications for soil remediation; schedule and coordinate excavation activities; assess excavation through soil remediation samples; analyze selected soil and water samples for further contaminants; and prepare reports detailing soil excavation sampling methodology, sampling locations laboratory results, conclusions and recommendations.

The total estimated cost of all excavation tasks was presented at \$20,801.

The board approved the plan, on a motion by Commissioner Lawrence Mattis, by a rollcall vote of 5-0.

Contamination at the site adjacent to the existing jail is apparently the result of petroleum products from a Michigan Central Railroad roundhouse that burned in 1939.

Contaminants at the site include higher than acceptable levels of benzo(a)anthracene and chrysene, both oil-based derivatives found in crude oil, asphalt, wood preservatives and motor oil, which were all found in abundance in the old roundhouse.

"Whether we build a jail or not, the contamination must be cleaned up," said commission Chairman Dennis Long. "The cost of cleanup will actually reduce the total cost of the jail, because we'll end up with a hole in the ground which is what we need to build the footings of the jail anyway."

Contaminated soil will be taken to the City Environmental Services Inc. landfill in Maple Forest Township for disposal.

The jail expansion project, when completed, will add 33 beds to the current 18-bed county jail facility, and will include space for both female and juvenile detention. The total cost of the jail project is estimated at \$1.7 million.

Commissioners vote to join regional community corrections board

By Terry Wright
Staff Writer

The Crawford County Board of Commissioners has approved an agreement to an affiliation with the Northern Michigan Community Corrections Board (NMCCB), and to seek funding for fiscal 1994-95 to provide rehabilitation services for county jail inmates.

Crawford County has been without community corrections services, including work-release and drug and alcohol counseling, since March 9, when the commission voted to dissolve a similar, county-operated program due to lack of eligible inmates.

By joining with NMCCB, Crawford County will still be eligible to apply for state community corrections funding, but the fiscal agent of those funds will be NMCCB through the Northeast Michigan Council of Governments. Other members of NMCCB, include Otsego, Cheboygan, Iosco and Oscoda counties.

NMCCB Director Frank Michels said, "Crawford County's vote will lead to membership in three to four

months. The other counties have to approve Crawford's membership."

Michels said previously community corrections in Crawford County was done by local service providers under the direction of the Crawford County Community Corrections Advisory Board and the jail administrator. As a member of NMCCB, there will be a community corrections case manager who will monitor the jail population for eligible inmates.

"The case manager is a broker who looks for the proper services for inmates," Michels said.

When an inmate is found that is not a violent offender, Michels said a service provider can be found to meet the inmates needs, and NMCCB can petition the court with a recommendation for alternative punishment.

He said a typical case scenario would be for an inmate to earn an early release from jail by fulfilling a community work-release service

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Back to school!



BACK IN CLASS--Grayling Elementary students Jaimi Drudge, right, and Jeremiah Handrich get back to work in Laurie Canfield's second grade class on Tuesday, the first day of the 1994-1995 school year. (Photo by Dennis Mansfield)

Expansion of M-72 West rolls on into fall

By Dennis Mansfield
Managing Editor

For those driving M-72 West who enjoyed the construction of the bridge across the Main Stream of the AuSable River, more fun is just around the corner.

Construction has started to expand the local roadway from two to four lanes from the intersection of the I-75 Business Loop and M-72 West to the intersection with M-93.

Work crews recently paved the south shoulder of the local roadway, allowing for an extra lane to make room for construction vehicles without limiting traffic flow.

"I'd say by the end of October all of the work should be finished," said Ray Roberts, field engineer for the Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT).

Roberts said traffic along M-72 West should have continued access to two lanes, although the roadway may be

limited to one lane for short periods during construction. The expansion of M-72 West will be completed as if they were two separate projects, he added, both by the Saginaw Asphalt Paving Co.

Crews will first work to complete the four-lane expansion from the I-75 Business Loop to the M-72 West Bridge, which should be completed by the end of September, according to MDOT officials. Work from the bridge to the intersection with M-93 should then be finished before Nov. 1, "weather permitting," Roberts said.

Construction on the bridge, costing more than \$850,000, was completed by the scheduled deadline of Aug. 18th. Cost of expanding M-72 West from two to four lanes is expected to be more than \$680,000.

A "bike path" on the south side of M-72 West and a new storm sewer system are included in the project. Curb and gutters will also be installed

the length of the expansion.

Many business owners and residents complained of traffic backups resulting from the construction to the bridge, which limited traffic to one lane during the winter months. An estimated 16,000 vehicles per day cross the bridge, according to MDOT statistics.

"Traffic is always the big concern," said Jim Delahanty, division manager of the Central Paving Co., a subsidiary of Saginaw Asphalt. "Traffic is a nightmare out there and people are frustrated. It's been going since last year. We had originally planned to go to work in May," he added.

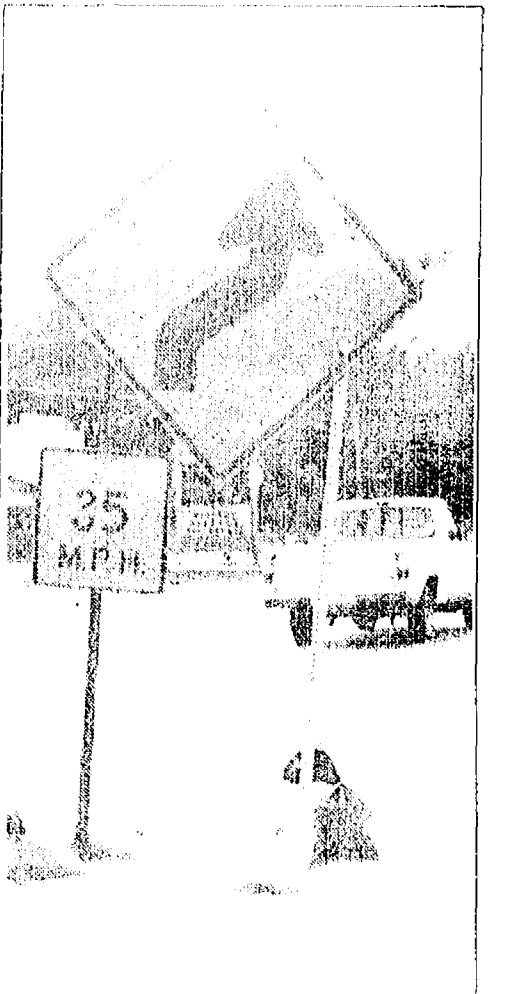
Delahanty said delays in moving power and phone lines have led to delays in the road expansion.

"It's been a big construction summer and (GTE) got behind," he said. "We just want to expedite the whole project, then get out of people's way and give them their road back."

Delahanty said people, despite any

possible traffic backups or delays, should drive cautiously through the construction zone. "We just ask people to be patient," he said.

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SIGN OF THE TIMES--Signs mark the way for drivers through the construction zone along M-72 West.

Changing of the guard; camp commander retires



By Dennis Mansfield
Managing Editor

For the second time in six months, a new camp commander has been appointed at Camp Grayling.

Officials of the state Department of Military Affairs (DMA) officially announced on Thursday, Aug. 25 that Col. Owen Moon had accepted an early retirement from the Michigan National Guard, and would step down as commander of the Camp Grayling National Guard Training Facility at the end of September.

Moon replaced Col. Wayne Koppa as camp commander in March, as the two switched positions. Koppa is now serving as a military liaison in Latvia, the post which Moon held until coming to Grayling.

Taking over as commander will be Grayling native Joseph LaGrow, a part-time member of the National Guard who will be promoted to the rank of colonel. LaGrow is employed full-time as a property claims adjuster for Pioneer State Mutual Insurance.

LaGrow, 48, was last assigned as deputy post commander at Camp Grayling.

For the daily operations of the camp, 46-year-old Lt. Col. Gary McConnell

will serve as the new training site manager. His duties will include supervision of the administration at the camp on a day-to-day basis and to improve the readiness of all units that train at Camp Grayling.

Born in Jackson, McConnell was

last assigned as the command logistics officer in the State Headquarters in Lansing.

"I think we'll have a great team here with two people doing the job once

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County follows state unemployment trends

Following a northern Michigan trend, the July 1994 unemployment rate in Crawford County fell 0.3 of a percentage point from the June rate of 7.8 percent.

The 21 counties of the northern Lower Peninsula experienced an average decrease of 0.4 percent. Only four counties—Iosco, Kalkaska, Wexford and Roscommon—showed increases in unemployment.

Crawford County had a civilian labor force of approximately 6,050 of which 5,600 were employed in July.

In July, according to the Michigan Employment Security Commission, job gains in the 21 counties were the highest for private services, followed

by retail trade as area resorts, restaurants, and other seasonal establishments enjoyed an improving summer season. Construction gains were also evident due to cooperative weather, the growing economy and relatively low interest rates.

The highest rate of unemployment in the northern Lower Peninsula during July was Cheboygan County at 12.8 percent, while the lowest rate was in Leelanau County at 3.8 percent.

July's average unemployment rate of 7.8 percent compares unfavorably with both the Michigan state average of 6.5 percent and the national average of 6.2 percent.

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MOON RETIRES--Col. Owen Moon (left), commander of Camp Grayling since March, addresses his fellow National Guard members during informal retirement ceremonies on Thursday, Aug. 25, as newly appointed camp commander Col. Joseph LaGrow (right) stands nearby. Moon was presented with several gifts, some of which are pictured above.



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Senate committee hears testimony on state's child custody laws

The Senate Family Law, Mental Health and Corrections Committee met recently to hear testimony regarding Michigan's child custody laws and the state's "best interest criteria," announced Senator Joel Gougeon (R-Bay City). In addition to several other child custody cases throughout the state, the recent well-publicized Maranda Ireland-Smith custody battle spurred committee members to examine current laws.

A hearing on Wednesday, Aug. 24, was the first of several to be held throughout the coming months. After Gougeon, a member of the committee, requested the public hearings, Senator

Jack Welborn (R-Kalamazoo) called for the meetings. Welborn chairs the committee.

Gougeon recently became

mother, Jennifer Ireland, solely because she placed her daughter in a licensed day-care facility while she attended classes at the University of

"After hearing from a number of my constituents, I am even more concerned about the message this ruling sends to all hard-working parents." --Senator Joel Gougeon (R-Bay City).

concerned about Michigan's child custody laws when a Macomb County circuit court judge ruled that 3-year-old Maranda Ireland-Smith be removed from the custody of her

Michigan. The judge granted custody to Maranda's father, Steven Smith, who lives with his parents because day-care would be provided by Maranda's grandmother.

their ordeals at every level of the court system.

Gina and Sandy Ulmer expressed the difficulties they have encountered in their attempts to gain custody of their granddaughter, Stephanie. The Ulmers took temporary custody of Stephanie when their daughter, a victim of domestic and physical abuse, disappeared.

According to Gina Ulmer, the process of fighting the birth father for permanent custody has forced them to work within a "legal and criminal arena that would slowly and methodically suck our emotional, physical and financial resources."

"Our first encounter with the courts was an indicator of the impersonal and terrorizing events we would experience in our endeavors to protect and ensure the best interests of a child," Ulmer said. "How many other persons will be victimized? How many more victims will have to tread lightly in fear of a system that may retaliate, because the perpetrators have all the rights? We were told to tread very lightly and to not make any judges mad if we ever got a hearing."

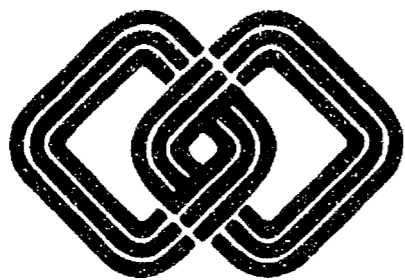
Ulmer referred to the court system as a "system of disarray — a system in which the agencies with a common goal don't even talk to each other."

Others to testify included Jim Mishler, who has been trying to gain custody of his daughter since 1989. Mishler's ex-wife has custody of their 9-year-old daughter.

"The blind, advised by the unknowing and uncaring, deciding the fate of the injured is a pretty poor way of going about custodial placement decisions in the state," Mishler said. "But that's what we're talking about."

While pleased with the turnout at Wednesday's hearing, Gougeon noted a great deal of work still remains.

"I'm glad to see such a strong public interest in this case. I think we really need to examine the state's child custody laws if we want to prevent this kind of confusion from happening again in the future," Gougeon said. "The committee will continue to meet to hear testimony and discuss this issue. We must gather as much input as possible in our attempts to better protect the rights of children throughout Michigan."



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Local doctor retains AAFP membership

Dr. William H. McNamara of Grayling, has completed continuing medical education requirements to retain active membership in the American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP), the national association of family doctors.

AAFP members are required to complete a minimum of 150 hours of accredited continuing medical study every three years. The AAFP, which has more than 75,000 members, is one of the largest medical specialty organizations in the country. It was the first national medical group to require members to keep up with medical advancements through regular continuing medical education.

Dr. McNamara has been an active AAFP member since 1987. As a family physician, McNamara is qualified to work in all major areas of health care and trained to treat patients of all ages for the vast majority of health problems.

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DMA looks at impact of proposed changes at Camp Grayling

Despite legal attacks, officials of the state Department of Military Affairs (DMA) are readying themselves for more than \$8.5 million in improvements at the Camp Grayling National Guard facility.

The AuSable Manistee Action Council (AMAC) has filed for injunction to block the improvements, stating the final environment impact statement (FEIS), released by the DMA in June, needs to be revised and updated.

The FEIS, with the first draft completed in 1989, contains three major improvements at the training facility, including:

- Construction of buildings to protect military vehicles stored at Camp Grayling from the northern Michigan winters.
- Replacement of a 1940s era bulk fuel dispensing facility with one that is

farther away from water sources and incorporates modern environmental protection designs.

• The construction of a modern Multi-Purpose Range Complex (MPRC) that will allow both armored and infantry troops to train together.

Construction is slated to begin in April 1995, according to DMA officials.

Editor's note: The following is the second in a three-part series of questions and answers concerning the FEIS, provided by the DMA Public Affairs office in Lansing. Copies of the FEIS may be viewed at the Crawford County Library, or obtained from the Camp Grayling Headquarters office.

Q. Does Camp Grayling have programs in place for comprehensive management of

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the natural and cultural resources with the Camp Grayling properties?

A. Camp Grayling began implementation of the Integrated Training Area Management program in 1992 to ensure protection of its natural resources. The Department of Military Affairs joined forces with the Nature Conservancy, a national

environmental organization, to conduct a two year floristic and endangered/threatened species survey as part of the Michigan Natural Features Inventory program to ensure that valuable components of both the physical and biological communities on the Installation are identified and protected. The Camp Grayling environmental staff have formed a management team, including staff from the Michigan Department of Natural Resources and the United States Department of Interior Fish and Wildlife Service, to develop an integrated natural resource management plan. Several individual management plans are already in place in the interim. A Phase I cultural/historical survey of the Installation has been completed and contracting for a Phase II survey is to begin in June, 1994.

Q. Are there species of special concern in the Camp Grayling area?

A. Several threatened/endangered species or species of special concern (approximately 20) have been identified on Camp Grayling lands. Most are plant species, but the Installation also hosts the Kirtland's warbler and the bald eagle.

Q. Does the implementation of the Installation Master Plan have any adverse affect on these species?

A. Neither implementation of the Installation Master Plan projects nor the on-going training at Camp Grayling has been determined to have any adverse affect on any of the identified species of concern. The Camp Grayling environmental staff closely coordinates with the Michigan Department of Natural Resources, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and the Nature Conservancy to ensure that adequate protection for all species is provided.

Q. Since the Final Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS) differs from the Draft Environmental Impact Statement (DEIS) released for public comment in 1989, shouldn't the FEIS be reissued as a second

DEIS with a new public comment period?

A. While we agree that FEIS is somewhat different from the DEIS, we believe this is clearly the intended purpose of the public involvement mandated by the National Environmental Policy Act (NEPA) and therefore see no requirement for a second DEIS. It is important to remember that every project addressed in the FEIS was also addressed in the DEIS, and every option analyzed in the DEIS. The differences between the two documents are primarily in response to public comment on the DEIS and the resulting reduction of proposed

projects from 20 in the DEIS to only three in the FEIS. If the EIS process is truly open to public participation as NEPA intended, then clearly the document must be changed to incorporate public input. If we had released a FEIS that was identical to the DEIS we would rightfully be criticized for ignoring the comments of people. Instead, we incorporated the public's comments and deleted over half of the projects and reduced the capacity of the Multi-Purpose Range Complex (MPRC) by one-third. We feel the differences between the FEIS and the DEIS are proof of the viability of both the process and our document.

Moon retires, LaGrow appointed as new commander

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covered by just one person," said Brigadier Gen. Robert Taylor, assistant adjutant general for the Michigan

Blood drive set for Sept. 7th

The American Legion, located on the I-75 Business Loop in Grayling, will host a blood drive on Wednesday, Sept. 7 from noon until 6 p.m.

The blood drive is sponsored by the Crawford County Chapter of the American Red Cross.

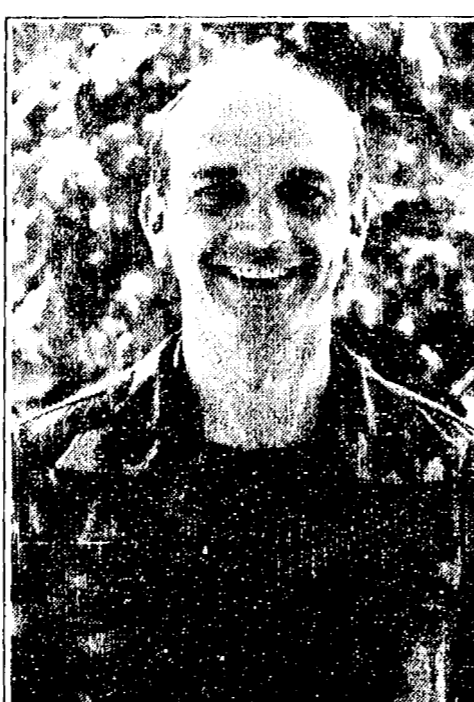
Persons wishing to donate must be at least 17 years of age, and weigh a minimum of 110 pounds.

National Guard. "We're excited to have them in their new positions."

Informal retirement ceremonies for Moon were held at the Camp Grayling Officer's Club on Thursday. Moon will also be honored at a formal dinner in Lansing on Sept. 10th.

"We feel we have our best people here," said Major Gen. E. Gordon Stump, adjutant general for the Michigan National Guard. "This is one of the most important facilities we have."

"Owen has done a great job in his short time here," Stump said. "We're sorry to see him go. He really got our program going. Owen was so good we had to replace him with two people."



Col. Joseph LaGrow

County transportation authority announces program changes, cutbacks

The Crawford County Transportation Authority (CCTA) has announced two program changes effective Oct. 1.

The first change will reduce the number of weekday hours during which Dial-A-Ride services are provided. The weekday service start-up time will be changed from its present 5:30 a.m. to 6:30 a.m.

The second program change will end Saturday and Sunday demand response services. Friday, Sept. 30 will be the last day of operations under the existing schedule.

These changes will mean that Dial-A-Ride services in Crawford County will be limited to Monday through Friday from 6:30 a.m. until 6:30 p.m., beginning Monday, Oct. 3.

According to CCTA Director Dave Frederick, the service reductions are the direct result of cutbacks which have occurred over the last several years in the level of state and federal funding provided for Dial-A-Ride programs.

Frederick said the cuts in federal operating support have been particularly deep.

"In 1983, Federal Transportation Administration operational support funded approximately 25 percent of the Crawford County Dial-A-Ride

program," Frederick said. "By 1994, the federally supported portion of the Dial-A-Ride program had declined to 11 percent."

He said the CCTA has experienced similar cutbacks from the Michigan Department of Transportation, which, combined with federal cutbacks, have placed heavy demands on local funding sources.

Frederick said during the last half of the 1980s and into the '90s, the CCTA used "cost containment" to cope with the declining levels of state and federal operating support.

"There were three noteworthy advantages in taking this approach," Frederick said. "First, using cost containment did not place the burden of a higher fare rate structure on fixed income service recipients. Second, it did not require the program to ask local property owners to pay a higher rate of millage to support the program. And third, cost containment allowed us to make incremental changes in the program, and delay implementing major reductions in services, for a 9-year period of time."

Frederick said recent legislative proposals at both state and federal levels have indicated that support exists for reversing the funding reductions

experienced by local Dial-A-Ride programs.

"If we experience a reversal of the funding cuts at either the state or federal level," Frederick said, "we will look at the possibility of reinstating some or all of the discontinued services, but for the short term we have to look at the changes as being permanent."

The CCTA Dial-A-Ride program has consistently had a ridership of approximately 100,000 passengers per year, logging more than 16,000 hours of service and more than 350,000 highway miles per year. It has been one of only three Dial-A-Ride systems in Michigan to operate a full seven days a week.

The two other Dial-A-Ride systems offering both Saturday and Sunday demand response services are located in Mount Pleasant and Traverse City, areas with much higher population concentrations than Crawford County.

According to Frederick, the scheduled reductions will bring the CCTA Dial-A-Ride program into line with Dial-A-Ride services in the surrounding counties.

Persons with questions or concerns regarding these program changes may contact CCTA Director Dave Frederick, at 348-8215.

M-72 expansion set to be completed by the end of October

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To ease any traffic backups during construction, drivers may, when driving into Grayling, take M-93 to Military Road, to Four Mile Road. From there, they may take I-75 to Grayling or south to other destinations.

In an unrelated project, Grayling City Manager Jerry Morford said work crews have started construction to install a 8-inch water main, replacing 4-inch piping, along Norway Street.

Portions of the westbound lane of the street, which runs from M-72 West to Michigan Avenue, will be closed during construction from "time to time," according to Morford.

"I suspect the work there will be done around the end of September," he said.

County joins regional corrections board

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program. Michels said in past years, work-release programs have included community service by inmates at the Grayling Fish Hatchery, Hanson Hills Recreation Area, Crawford County Animal Shelter, Commission on Aging, and the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce.

Capt. Mike Johnson, Crawford County jail administrator said, "It will be nice to have community corrections again. It gives us another tool to work with...if Lansing approves the grant money."

Johnson said currently four of 22 inmates lodged in the Crawford County Jail would be eligible for community corrections.

Under a funding formula from the Michigan Office of Community Corrections, Crawford County may be eligible for a \$32,000 grant. The grant application has been submitted through NMCCB and will be reviewed on Sept. 15.

Local Weather

Courtesy of the City of Grayling

Date	High	Low	Prec.
8/24	79	51	0.01
8/25	81	51	0.01
8/26	85	62	0.16
8/27	77	63	0.42
8/28	81	54	0.26
8/29	72	55	0.01
8/30	66	49	

Extended forecast courtesy of the U.S. Weather Service in Houghton Lake: Wednesday will be mostly cloudy, with the high in the low 60s. Thursday calls for partly cloudy skies, with the high in the 60s and the low in the 40s. Friday will also be partly cloudy. The high will be in the 60s, with the low in the upper 30s. Saturday will be partly cloudy, with the high in the mid 60s, and the low in the mid 30s.

Crawford County Library Survey

The Crawford County Library Board of Trustees would like your help in deciding the future of the Crawford County Library. The Board of Trustees has put together a survey covering suggestions stated by you, the residents of Crawford County.

The surveys will be available until Sept. 30 at the Crawford County Library or call 348-9214 and one will be mailed to you.

Please fill out a survey and express your views so the Board of Trustees will be able to plan for the immediate future and for the next 10 years of the Crawford County Library.

Since January of 1993, the Crawford County Library Board of Trustees has been investigating expanding the Crawford County Library. Please express your views of the future of the Crawford County Library on this survey.

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•Did you know the Crawford County Library is funded by penal fines? yes ☐ no ☐

•Would you like to see the Crawford County Library moved or stay at the same location but expand? stay ☐ move ☐

•If you checked move, to which location?
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For the fiscal year 1994-1995 the penal fines have gone down \$13,316.36. If it is decided to expand, it would cost approximately \$200,000. If it is decided to move it may cost more than the current library fund balance. Would you be willing to support the future Crawford County Library with a millage? yes ☐ no ☐

Please feel free to cover any other concerns or ideas you have about the Crawford County Library below and drop off your survey to the library, or mail to the Crawford County Library, 100 S. James Street, Grayling, MI 49738.

Additional comments:



BPW SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS--The Business and Professional Womens' Club of Grayling has chosen three young women to be recipients of the 1993/94 scholarship award. The three women are (L to R) Kendra Palmer attending Alma College, Karen Ferguson and Jennifer Smith both attending Central Michigan University. They are pictured with BPW member Hertha Laupmanis. BPW has attempted to award scholarships to those who are well on their way in their chosen professions and need the extra boost to complete their goals.

ISSUES AND OPINIONS

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

AMAC comments on Camp Grayling's FEIS

To the editor:
AMAC would like to thank the Crawford County Avalanche for this opportunity to discuss the Guard-prepared "Q & A: Impact of proposed changes at Camp Grayling" which ran in the 8/25/94 Avalanche, and other related issues.

The current "Final" Environmental Impact Statement (FEIS) addresses three projects: 1) replacement of an aging bulk fuel facility; 2) covered storage with concrete floors for tanks, howitzers, tracked vehicles, etc.; and 3) construction of a Multi-Purpose Range Complex-Heavy (MPRC).

AMAC believes that the first two projects are important to safeguard the environment and to protect the taxpayers' military training equipment investment. Our only concern is that the proposed sites be checked for contamination, and remediated if necessary, before construction.

The MPRC issue is more complicated. Key points include: 1) What is the current contamination status of the proposed site? 2) Is an MPRC necessary at Camp Grayling? 3) How would the operation of an MPRC affect the environment? and 4) How would the operation of Camp Grayling be affected by having an MPRC?

The proposed site, Range 30, has not been tested for contamination. It is not scheduled for testing until 1996 at the earliest. In our opinion that is too late. If the site is contaminated, it should be remediated before construction and operation of the MPRC. Given what we know today about Range 40's condition, we can only expect Range 30 to be contaminated also.

Is an MPRC necessary here? One of the options considered in the FEIS was to use another MPRC. The option was rejected because of excessive, additional travel costs which included unnecessarily moving the tanks and artillery pieces. It is curious that the analysis used an MPRC in Idaho. We wonder what the analysis would show considering an MPRC closer to Michigan, say Ft. McCoy, WI? Several

MPRCs have been built or planned since the EIS was drafted.

How would MPRC operation affect the environment? The FEIS doesn't say. The FEIS does not discuss the number or types of munitions to be fired on the MPRC. The FEIS does not explain the chemical nature of those munitions or the contaminants found in them. The FEIS does mention in passing that white phosphorous has been used extensively on Range 30 and will be used at the MPRC. It does not mention that white phosphorous is highly toxic to humans and wildlife. Nor does it state that particles buried in the soil can persist for several years. The FEIS does not acknowledge that if an oxidized coat is formed, white phosphorous can persist in its toxic form for thousands of years. In our view, the FEIS does not address critical contaminants that are part of operating the MPRC.

How will the operation of Camp Grayling be affected by an MPRC? How many soldiers will train here? What will they do? What will be the nature of their training exercises? Will the MPRC bring additional aircraft to the area including jets for close air support? The FEIS doesn't say. It does say the MPRC was designed for the current users of the tank range. The question remains how many, doing what? The FEIS is supposed to spell out plans and anticipated impacts. The FEIS does not do this.

These are the kinds of issues our lawsuit deals with. And our desire is to have a real assessment of environmental impact before proceeding with the MPRC.

One final observation: AMAC is not trying to close Camp Grayling or adversely affect anyone's job or livelihood. Our middle initial stands for action. We are providing proactive leadership to avoid an environmental tragedy. Our intention is to work with, not against, other local organizations to achieve and maintain the best possible environmental status for Camp Grayling.

W. J. Mallory
AMAC Secretary/Treasurer

MPRC 'can only improve' Camp Grayling

To the editor:

Now is the time to voice a popular opinion concerning the recent ordeal of AMAC and the National Guard.

First of all if someone were to write a letter and complain about something, it would seem they would have factual and newsworthy information.

The recent letter to the editor from Harvey B. Burkholder, dated Aug. 25, 1994, prompted my response.

Why should the military train in waste land? Is the military not worthy of training in the heart of America? To hide our national defense strength? To only use the military when you feel threatened and insecure?

If the military were to train in waste land, don't you think some young enterprising investors would follow the military and start up a new town in the area, establish it and prosper. Then a few years down the road some "bleeding heart" liberal group would be complaining about everything the military does.

My point is this: An old phrase goes — "Do not build a house next to an airport and then complain about the noise." The same would apply to a military tank or bombing range, wouldn't it?

Camp Grayling has been here long

before any of us and will be here long after we have gone. Weapon systems have become technologically sophisticated, more powerful and lethal. During the next 20 years they are only going to become even more powerful, more lethal and LOUDER. The military does not bomb with "twinkies" and "marshmallows."

The new multi-purpose range complex at Camp Grayling can only improve the current environmental/military scenario. For factual information please read the proposal located at the public affairs office at Camp Grayling.

More factual information: The National Guard and Reserve makes up 65 percent of the TOTAL Armed Services.

If the military would not train on a regular basis you would have a mob of ignorant civilians attempting to operate sophisticated weapon systems in a dangerously lethal situation. It takes skill and training to operate these systems.

If you did not have the military, that we have now, you might be eating "borscht."

Richard T. Riggs
Grayling



ALMANACK By Richard Milliman

Prison politics an added starter

organization today is his own creation, and therefore the buck stops with him.

AS GOVERNOR, Mr. Engler has pushed for centralization of executive power — and responsibility — in the governor's office. Under Mr. Engler, the corrections commission was dumped, and the corrections director became his direct appointment.

A similar scenario developed in the Department of Natural Resources.

Now the governor cannot escape responsibility, even if he tried, in fields where he is in direct charge. That's why Mr. Wolpe is correct in claiming that whatever happens in Michigan prisons should be hung directly around the neck of the governor.

Usually a strong executive form of government is an asset for a governor. The Ryan prison escape may be an exception.

What's missing in all the political posturing in the wake of the break is anything substantive that should be done in the future.

Mr. Engler wants prison uniforms back. Mr. Wolpe wants more guards, and possibly more prisons. Nobody wants another jail break.

VOTERS LIKELY will see Mr. Wolpe line up on the side of the guards — who claim they are overworked and the prison is understaffed — and on the side of the neighborhood, which wants assurance it won't happen again and that the more hardened criminals are locked up somewhere else, in somebody else's back yard.

Mr. Engler likely will line up on the side of prison officials, as distinct from prison guards, and will generally defend his own administration. He likely will find a few procedures to change, a few new rules to add, some more safeguards to install within the general outlines of the status quo.

But where real solutions will be found is anybody's guess. They probably won't be found in a campaign atmosphere.

After all, prisons were not supposed to be a big issue just before the 1994 election.

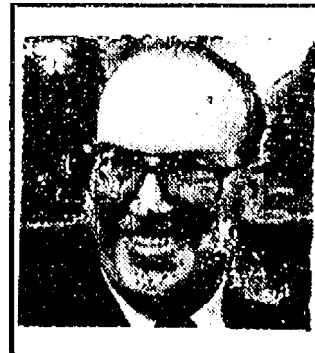
Ten hard-core criminals changed all that.

From a strictly spectator standpoint, it's fascinating to watch big shot politicians shuffle and stammer, trying to hang an unpleasant and unexpected development around somebody else's neck.

COLUMN CLOSER — Here's a point to ponder, courtesy of *American Legion* magazine:

"If you see somebody in New York out walking his dog, you have to wonder who's the master and who's the pet. The dog leads the way and the human cleans up after it. Who would you rather be?"

Richard Milliman is a veteran newspaperman and a contributing columnist to several Michigan newspapers.



LET'S TALK ABOUT IT By Joe Murphy

My mom always thought her boys should know a little about cooking, and I always wound up as camp cook. I was glad she did for I would rather cook than wash dishes anytime. My buddy Aaron is gone but those times we had hunting and fishing together brings me many pleasant memories.

One of the things that made working on the farm with my Dad so much fun was that sometimes, even though we had a lot of work to do, he would decide it was just too nice a fall day to do it. He would sometimes say "what do you think we should do this afternoon." My usual answer was go hunting, or take the ponies and go for a ride.

Those were very special days for I knew Dad wanted to get the work

done but still had enough boy in him to want to play hooky once in awhile. I guess that was one of the reasons I loved him so much.

Well, things will soon slow down with school starting and the National Guard will have their summer camps in. I think the summer has been a pretty good one for our business people. There seemed to be a lot of tourists and vacationers around and of course the Guard spent many dollars in our community.

Those who complain about the Guard seem to forget how much they have contributed to Crawford County in jobs, money and community projects.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Your views are welcome on the Opinion Page. Letters may be typed or handwritten but please double space or use every other line.

Every letter must be signed and an address and phone number should be included. Letters will not be published without the author's name.

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American Viewpoints



Everything is funny as long as it happens to somebody else.
Will Rogers

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Tale of the Michigan Grayling

By Russell Robertson
Special to the Avalanche

Until within a few years that portion of Michigan extending from the 44th parallel to the Straits of Mackinaw, dotted with beautiful lakes and traversed by many a clear-winding river, was "terra incognita" to the fly-fisher; and although we were told years ago by explorers and adventurous anglers that trout in great numbers and of large size were taken in the waters of the northern portion of the peninsula, the grayling by its true name was unknown, and does not now form a subject for any of our angling authors. It was supposed that, except in the arctic regions, it did not exist on our continent.

About 100 years ago, however, hunters and those who were looking up timber lands began to talk of a white-meated fish with all the game qualities of the trout, which they captured in streams of both watersheds — east and west — as an addition to their venison and "hard tack." It was known to them as the "white trout," the "Crawford County Trout," and under other local names until a specimen in alcohol was sent to Professor E. D. Cope, of the Philadelphia Academy of Natural Sciences, who described it in the proceedings of that institution in the year of 1865, and gave it the scientific name of "Thymallus Tricolor," the genetic name arising from the fresh thyme-y smell of the fish when first taken from the water, the specific appellation having reference to its beautiful dorsal fin. And yet its discovery as a true grayling escaped

the notice of nearly all of our fly-fishers; and to the few who might have meditated an expedition in search of it, its habitat was far off and then almost inaccessible. The following passage, however, from *American Fish Culture* (P. 196), by the present writer and published by Porter and Coates, in 1867, soon after Professor Cope described the fish, attracted the notice of Mr. J. V. LeMoine of Chicago.

"While on a trout fishing excursion lately in the northern part of Pennsylvania, I met a very intelligent, though not a scientific person, who informed me that in exploring some timber lands on the AuSable, in Michigan, he came across a new kind of trout which he had never seen before. From his description it was doubtless this new species of 'Thymallus.' He said it readily took a bait of a piece of one of its fellows, a piece of meat being used to capture the first fish; and that it was very beautiful and of a delicious flavor.

"The following summer, after consulting persons interested in the timber lands, Mr. LeMoine packed his 'kit' and found his way by steamer to little Traverse Bay, and thence by canoe through a series of lakes to the River Jordan, where he had great sport, not only with grayling, but with trout of great size, taking both from the same pool, and not infrequently one of each on the same cast. I may here mention that the Jordan is one of the few streams of Michigan in which both are found. Trout are unknown in the Manistee and AuSable rivers. Such streams, here and in Europe, are the home of the grayling, for it loves water

of a low, even temperature and a smooth, steady current."

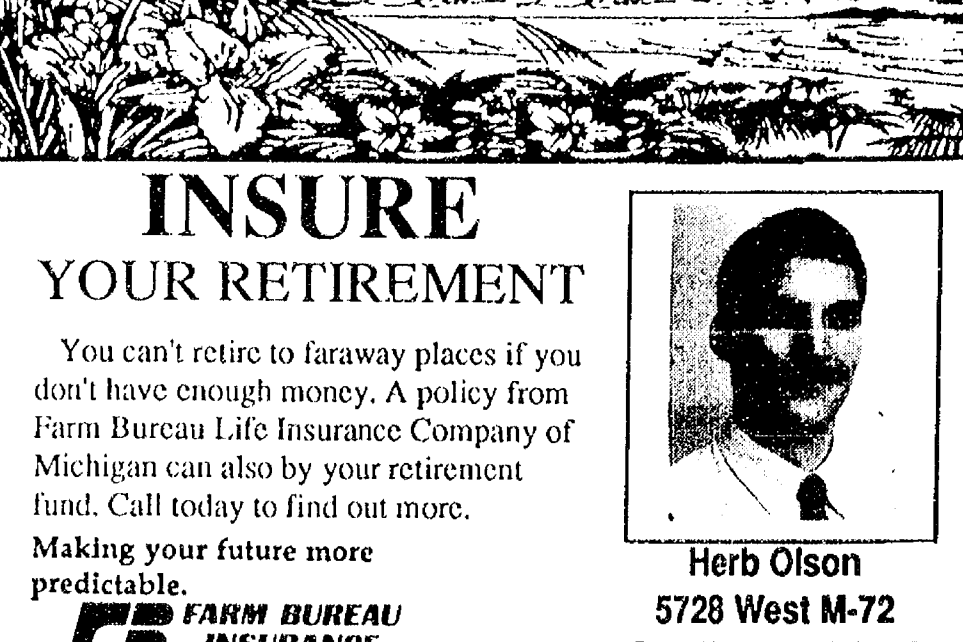
The above article was taken from the *Scribner's Monthly*, 1879-1880, by Thaddeus Norris of Chicago. He also mentions that he and his partner caught 120 pounds of grayling in one day fishing on the AuSable in August, 1874.

In the spring of 1927 I was employed at the Grayling State Fish Hatchery. We had 11 grayling that were being held at the hatchery for the purpose of spawn taking. Phil Zalsman was hatchery overseer at the time. These fish were due to spawn that spring, and Zalsman had high hopes that eggs taken from these fish would survive. I had the pleasure of helping him seine these fish up to collect the eggs from them.

Those fish were very finicky. The use of nets, when placed in the pond, made them very wild. Eventually, we

managed to net all of them. Spawn was collected by Zalsman and placed in hatchery troughs. These eggs were very small and almost transparent. A number of eggs died, but some of them hatched as small fry but died shortly afterwards. There was no survival from these eggs. Not only did we lose all the eggs, but all 11 grayling died. This fish could stand very little handling.

I am probably one of the very few persons who had the pleasure of seeing the last of the lower Michigan grayling alive. Some of the grayling that died were preserved and put on display at the Grayling Hatchery. To my knowledge, there is no other fish in the state that can compare to the beauty of this fish. The stocking of various trout in the streams of lower Michigan after 1880 may have played a part in the demise of the grayling, as very few were taken after 1905.



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MUCC will accept either horizontal or vertical artwork in any medium suitable for reproduction. Entries must portray an outdoor setting that naturally occurs in Michigan.

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In addition, MUCC will publish 750 prints of the winning entry. Proceeds will benefit MUCC's educational and environmental programs. The artist retains his or her original work.

Entries will be accepted from Sept. 1 through Dec. 16. The competition judging will be held on Saturday, Jan. 28, 1995, at the Lansing Center, in conjunction with the Northern Wildlife Art Expo.

For more information and competition rules, contact Michael

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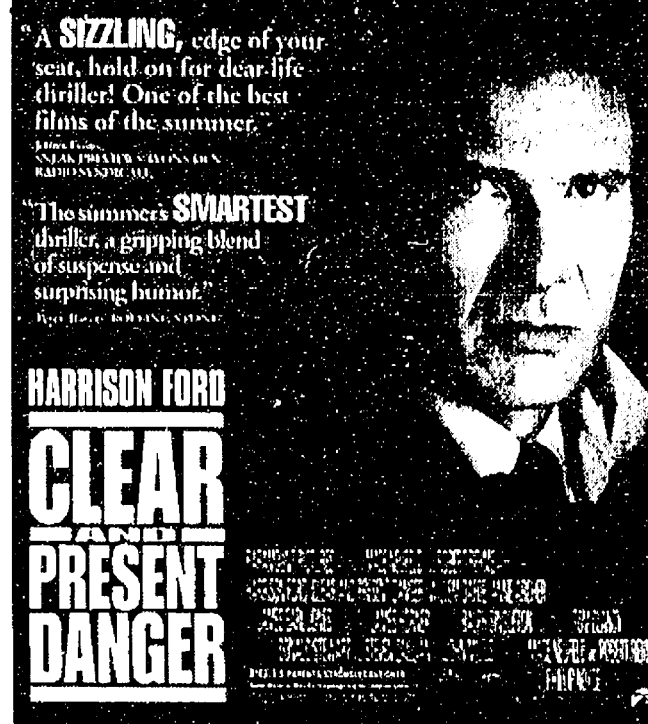
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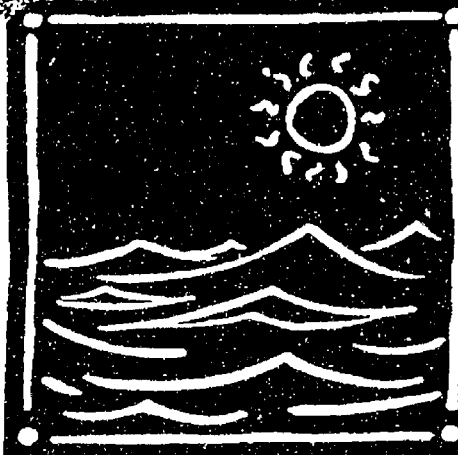
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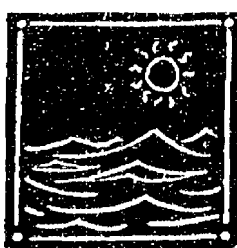
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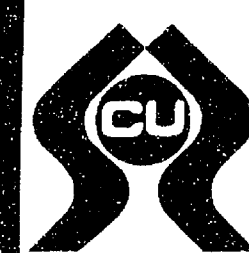
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FRI. 2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SCHOOL CLOSED Labor Day vacation. • VAR. FB VS. ROSCOMMON, away, 7:30.
SAT. 3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ENJOY THE SUMMER with your family by touring the new visitors center and trails at Hartwick Pines State Park.
SUN. 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • JR. PRO MEETING @ Holiday Inn, 6 pm.
MON. 5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SCHOOL CLOSED Labor Day. • BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP @ St. Francis Episcopal Church, 6:30 pm. • KIWANIS LUNCHEON MEETING @ 12:10, Chief Shoppenagon's Motor Hotel.
TUES. 6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FRESHMAN GBB VS. KALKASKA, home, 4:30 pm. GBB VS. KALKASKA, home 6 pm. • SOCIAL SECURITY representative @ County Building, 10:30 am - 2 pm. • GRAYLING PROMOTIONAL ASSOCIATION luncheon meeting @ noon, Iron Gate Restaurant.
WED. 7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AMERICAN RED CROSS bloodmobile @ American Legion, 12-6 pm. • BOYS' GOLF VS. ELK RAPIDS, home, 4 pm. • MS GBB GREEN VS. JOBURG, home, 6 pm. WHITE VS. BOYNE CITY, away, 5 pm. • MIDDLE SCHOOL open house. • ROTARY LUNCHEON MEETING @ noon, Chief Shoppenagon's Motor Hotel. • WEIGHT WATCHERS MEETING @ St. Francis Episcopal Church on M-72 W.; weigh-in 4:45 pm; meeting 5:30 pm. • COA Phyllis Brummer will be on hand 9-11:30 am to help Seniors with Medicare & Medicaid problems, or call 348-7123.



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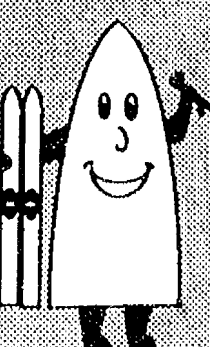
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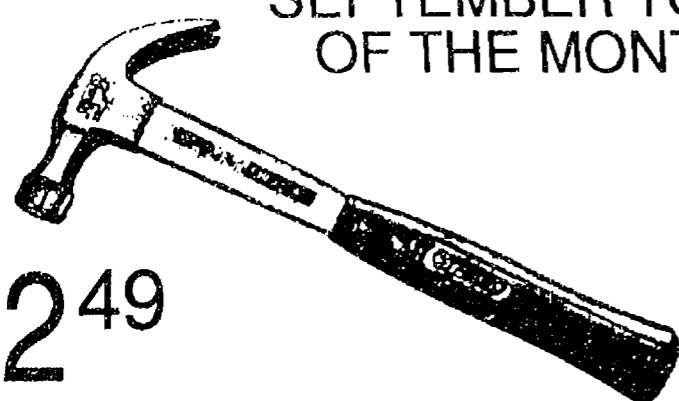
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BITS OF TALK

By Fay Bovee

Word has been received by the Grayling High School Alumni office of the death of Patricia A. Montour Doty of El Cajon, CA. Pat died on July 19, 1994, at the age of 72 years. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. David Montour, a 1939 graduate of Grayling High School and had been married for 53 years to U. W. Doty, who survives her.

In the last week's article on the Stephan reunion, Tressa Stephan Fenton's name as well as that of the Herbert Stephan family's name were left off the list of those attending. My apologies.

Margaret and Joe Heller of Ortonville are the happy parents of two adopted boys, Lukas "Luke," three years of age and Tobias "Toby." They have been adopted from Romania where Margaret had to make two trips before final arrangements were made. She is the niece of Dan Bale of Grayling.

Mrs. Ruth Robertson has been busy with company this summer. Charity and friend and Nathan and friend, children of Eddie and Sylvia Robertson of Walesco, GA, each spent a week. While Rev. Joe Robertson was at camp at Lake Louise, his family of East Tawas, Mary Ellen and children, Jamie and Angie, spent the week with Ruth. Jerry and Sylvia Krausz of Portland spent a long weekend with her mother.

Eddie and Sylvia Robertson of Walesco, GA, have been in Michigan recently to attend the Robertson reunion in Hubbardston.

Recent visitors of the Larry and Mo McNamara home were their children. Mary Liz McNamara-Schlosser and her two children, Casey and Noah, from Bernardsville, NJ, were here. Shannon Verklan and daughter, Madeline, came from Plymouth to see her sister, and Riley McNamara and friend from Aurora, IL, also visited.

MERCY HOSPITAL BIRTHS

The following parents are proud to announce their recent arrivals at Grayling Mercy Hospital:

Timothy and Jennifer Malcomson of Houghton Lake: Timothy Luther, Aug. 16, 1994, 7 lbs., 2 ozs.

Ronald Fowler and Reva Kalasz of Roscommon: Victoria Anne, Aug. 14, 1994, 7 lbs., 1 oz.

Ronald and Sarah Stevens of St.

Helen: Bethany Rose, Aug. 16, 1994, 6 lbs., 12 ozs.

Anthony Okroy and Karen Blair of Houghton Lake: Alyssa Lynn, Aug. 11, 1994, 5 lbs., 19 ozs.

Robert and Yvonne Bartz of St. Helen: Robert Allen, Aug. 17, 1994, 7 lbs., 9 ozs.

John Cottrill and Debbie Curtis of Frederic: Dennis Robert, Aug. 17, 1994, 8 lbs., 4 ozs.

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The bride was given in marriage by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Roger

Barber of Grayling. Stan C. Brown of Sterling Heights, son of the groom, stood as best man, and Sharon L. (Barber) Lavecchia of Grayling, sister of the bride, stood as maid of honor.

The couple plan to reside in Crawford County.

Wilcox family reunion held Aug. 20 at Hartwick Pines

The fourth semi-annual Wilcox family reunion was held at the Hartwick Pines State Park on Aug. 20. A.J. and Mary Jane Wilcox came with daughter Heather from Palm Bay, FL. Stanley and Liberty Wilcox and daughters, Shanda, Shaston, Sherrie and Samantha from Maryland, MD, bringing Liberty's mother, Aurora Espejo, from Chicago, IL. John's cousin from Detroit, his wife and two sister-in-laws, Carl and Joyce Newton and Jean Newton and Beverly Newton. Edna and Harold Babbitt and their son and family, Darryl and Denise Babbitt, Darryl Jr. and baby from Maple Forest. Patrick and Marie Harrington from Burton. Lori and Ken Simpson and

children, Katie, Jill and Courtney Simpson and Jeremy, Sarah, Ben, and Brandon Elliott from Mt. Morris.

Carl and Diane Iversen and children, Carl and Shawnda Iversen from Flint. Steve and Elisa Hanson and children, Erik, Nici, Heidi, Keely, Michael and Logan from Davison. Jim Iversen and Debi and son Brett Lee from Burton. Linda and Larry Putvin and girls, Mara and Kylie from Ludington. Scott Harrington from Burton. Teresa and Fred Raybould and sons, Dennis, Aaron, Tim, Fred, Jeff, Jason and a friend, Jerry. Aaron Wilcox came from Traverse City. Dennis and Fred III Raybould and friend Jerry came from Carleton. John M. Wilcox III and Rachel Denewett of Grayling. Tricia Kibbe and daughter Kelly from Roscommon. Kay and Roy Horning, Clark Wilcox Jr. and Nicole Wilcox and friend Jeff Mier of Grayling.

John and Beverly were very pleased with the turnout. Many family members were unable to come this year for various reasons and each were missed. The family is looking forward to the next reunion in two years, the third Saturday in August, 1996, at Hartwick Pines State Park in Grayling.

MILITARY NEWS

Marine 2nd Lt. Erik P. Nelson, son of Pete F. and Judith K. Nelson of Grayling, recently graduated from the Basic School.

During the course at Marine Corps Combat Development Command, Quantico, VA, newly-commissioned officers are prepared for assignment to the Fleet Marine Force.

The course includes instruction on land navigation, marksmanship, tactics, military law, personnel administration, Marine Corps history and traditions, communications, and the techniques of military instruction.

The 1987 graduate of Kalkaska High School, joined the Marine Corps in October 1993. Nelson is a 1993 graduate of Western Michigan University with a BS degree.



A Tribute to Jess Bennett

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Jess Bennett believed in his fellow-man. He always said he learned something from everyone. He believed in live and let live - people, animals, and the natural environment.

Jess was a man of the highest integrity and honesty, and looked for the same in others. He never stopped learning. He could talk with you about music and art - finance - science, astronomy and physics - how to build a house or make a beef stew. He was a man of humor and wit - and a master of the quick pun.

A memorial service was held for family and friends on Saturday, August 27th on the banks of the Manistee River near his home. It was the place he loved best in the world.

The family would like to express their thanks and appreciation to the nurses and staff of Mercy Hospital. Critical Care nurses Fran and Kathy and the nurses on 2-North - especially Annetta, Irene, Sue and Audrey - and all those who showed such kindness and caring during this difficult time. A special thanks to Patti Walker and Julie Schoen. Thanks also to all those who called and sent messages of love and friendship.

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Heart Association of Michigan launches new exercise training program

The American Heart Association of Michigan has developed T.E.A.C.H., Teaching Exercise And Cardiovascular Health, a new exercise program that will first train 300 health professionals in Michigan this fall. Each of those 300 trainers will then provide exercise presentations to 50 or more Michigan residents, totaling 15,000 who will have learned about how to improve their health and fitness.

Dr. Steven Keteyian, exercise physiologist and chair of the American Heart Association of Michigan's Exercise and Cardiac Rehabilitation Committee, said "Studies show that 76 percent of Michigan's adults lack adequate amounts of weekly exercise. In the United States, 24 percent of individuals 18 and older, and 43 percent of the population 65 and older are sedentary."

In 1990, the U.S. Government's Department of Health and Human Services set the objective that no more than 15 percent of U.S. residents will be sedentary by the year 2000. "AHA's T.E.A.C.H. program in Michigan will help the United States meet its goal by the year 2000," said Keteyian.

The AHA Michigan Affiliate invites health professionals such as health

educators, nurses, physician assistants, exercise scientists and others to register for one of the half-day training sessions to be held around Michigan this fall.

There are four educational modules in the program. The Why Exercise? module explains the benefits of exercise and risk factor prevention. Limitations of an exercise program and exercise myths and misconceptions will also be covered. The Getting Started module includes both when to seek a medical evaluation and goal setting. Through this module, Michigan residents will develop their own plan for increasing their physical activity. It also covers the intensity, frequency, and duration of activity needed for a proper program, along with nutritional considerations.

The Environmental Considerations module covers the facilities, equipment, safety, and clothing aspects for a proper exercise program. Environmental conditions such as temperature, humidity, altitude, and air pollution and their relationship to cardiovascular complications will be discussed.

The last module, Staying With It, identifies those factors which influence long-term compliance, medical

complications and the role of family members and friends. A force field analysis project will be included to help participants identify and overcome long-term barriers to exercise.

Training sessions for 300 health professionals will be held in Detroit, Flint, Grand Rapids, Lansing and Grayling using a slide/script presentation. Sessions will educate professionals about the program and community implementation. Each health professional will receive a packet of materials, a set of over 100 slides with script, reproduction sheets

and an implementation guide. Each health professional will be asked to then educate at least 50 Michigan residents in their community about the benefits of exercise. These community workshops will result in a project goal of 15,000 Michigan residents receiving exercise information.

Training sessions will be held in the fall of 1994. The project is sponsored, in part, by Astra/Merck Group of Merck & Co. Inc.

For more information or to register, contact your local American Heart Association office at 1-800-AHA-USA1.

Veteran benefit classes scheduled

In a recent letter from Raymond G. O'Neill, state director of Veterans Service for the Department of Michigan Veterans of Foreign Wars, Commander Iverson of the Grayling Memorial VFW Post 5832, would like to inform all veterans and the general public of Grayling of classes covering federal and state veterans benefits.

The courses are scheduled to be conducted in the 11th District beginning as early as Sept. 6. The first class will be at the Arenac VFW Post 3724 located at 3580 W. Huron in Standish. The William F. Moore VFW Post 6754 at 1365 E. Spruce Road in Spruce will host the second class scheduled for the 8th of Sept. Sept. 12th will end the series of classes at the Borley Hanel VFW Post 3033, located on 4841 E. Pickered in Mt. Pleasant.

In his letter, O'Neill states that all classes are scheduled to start at 7 p.m. and last until 10 p.m. Classes will

emphasize the role of VFW Post and Auxiliary service officers in assisting veterans and their dependents and survivors. All classes will be instructed by assistant state service officers.

The instructors will be present after the classes to discuss any problems that veterans and their dependents may have.

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OBITUARIES

Robert Bennett

Robert E. Bennett, 68, of San Francisco, CA, died Sunday, Aug. 28, 1994, at his home. Graveside memorial services will be held at a later date.

Mr. Bennett was born Feb. 19, 1926, in Grayling. He had lived in California for the last 34 years, previously living in Grayling for 34 years. He was in the Merchant Marine.

Mr. Bennett was preceded in death by his father, Frank Bennett.

Survivors include: son, Robert and wife, Vickie Bennett, Jr., of New Trippoli, PA; brother, Ted and wife, Harriett Bennett, of Mackinaw City; sister, Phyllis and husband, Jack Bray, of East Lansing; mother, Emma Bennett; grandsons, Zachary, 8-years-old, and Jacob, 4-years-old; and several nieces and nephews.

Arrangements were made by Sorenson Funeral Home, McEvers Chapel.

Estella McDonald

Estella V. (Muth) McDonald, 72, of Redford Township, died Saturday, Aug. 13, 1994, at her home. No services are planned.

Mrs. McDonald was born April 17, 1922, in Grayling, to Frank and Olive Muth. She made the move to Redford Township as a teen, there she met Neil McDonald, and they were married in May, 1943. After Neil's death in Jan. 1989, her health declined.

Survivors include: son, Gary and wife, Frances McDonald of Higgins Lake; daughter, Pamela and husband, Michael Quinn, of Redford Township; and grandchildren, Gary, Mark and Holly McDonald and Shaun Quinn.

The family suggests memorial contributions to the American Cancer Society.

Paul Wilt

Paul H. Wilt, 71, of Grayling, died Monday, Aug. 29, 1994, at his home. No services have been planned. Arrangements were made by Sorenson Funeral Home, McEvers Chapel.

Mr. Wilt was born Sept. 21, 1922, in New Keyser, WV. He had been a resident of Grayling for 16 years, previously living in Wixom. He was a retired Ford Motor employee, and was a WWII veteran.

Mr. Wilt was preceded in death by his wife, Fay J. (Gute) Wilt, on Oct. 18, 1991; son, Paul T. Wilt; and parents, Jeff and Gertrude Wilt.

Survivors include: sons, Carl Wilt of Wixom, and Gary Wilt of Grayling; daughters, Elaine Salo of Clinton Twp., Joy Noland of Pasadena, MD, Susan Pooley of Grayling, and Nancy Ladzinski of Shelby Twp.; and brother, Charles Wilt of Radar, MO.

Card of thanks

Thank you to our many friends and family for their warm and enthusiastic help with our wedding and reception on August 20, 1994.

Special thanks to Mrs. Terri Gibbons for the dried flower arrangements she lost sleep for.

Thanks to Tom Gibbons, Stan Brown, and Josh Gildner who all video taped the ceremony and dip into the pool. To those who simply joined with us in our happiness, we were glad you were there, especially Judge Hunter, who really made the occasion unique by his show stopping entrance (we have it on tape).

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald R. Brown

Card of thanks

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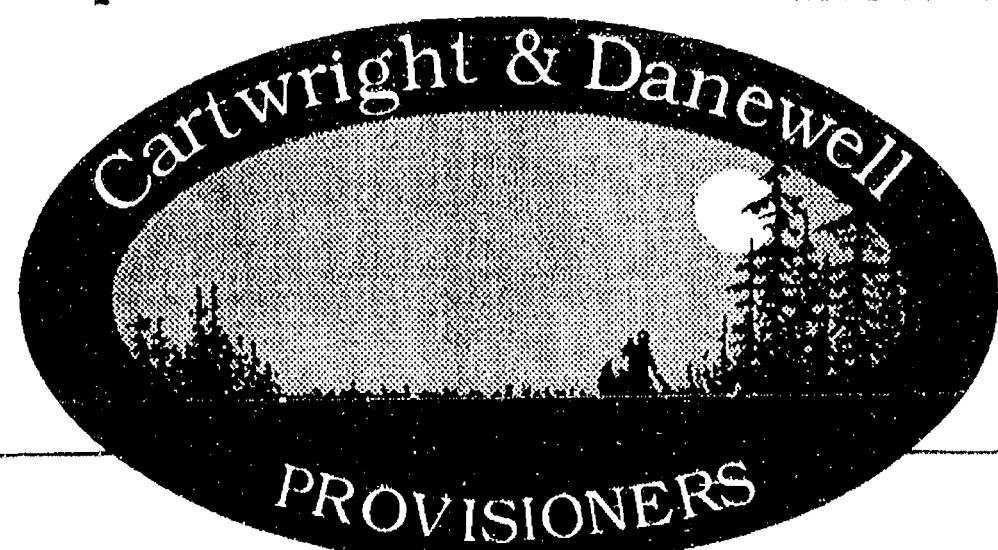
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Teach youngsters early about school bus safety

Riding to school on the traditional yellow bus is an exciting activity for a new student, but parents should stress safety from the beginning, said AAA Michigan.

More than 22 million pupils nationally — including 800,000 in Michigan — ride school buses each day, and the school bus is generally one of the safest modes of travel.

"However, in 1993, there were 1,494 motor vehicle crashes involving school buses in the state, resulting in seven deaths and 648 injuries," said AAA Michigan Community Safety Services Manager Jerry Basch.

He added that most bus crashes are minor, with casualties usually occupants of another vehicle.

"Our data strongly suggests that motorists sharing the road with school buses must be extra cautious because

of frequent stops, and young children moving to and from the bus.

"As you'd expect, students are injured most often when the school bus approaches or leaves a loading area," Basch said. "Incidents usually occur when children near the bus move out of the bus driver's line of sight or dart suddenly across the street without looking. This might happen when they bend down to pick up a dropped article, or walk behind the bus."

To ensure that the ride to and from school is as safe as possible, Basch offers these safety tips for parents of first-time school bus riders:

• Make sure the student arrives at the bus stop on time.

• See that your child waits for the bus in a safe place well off the roadway. Remind him or her that horseplay can cause someone to fall or be pushed

into the path of the bus or another vehicle.

• Tell youngsters to remain seated while the bus is in motion.

• Stress the importance of keeping aisles clear at all times. Book bags or lunch boxes should never be left where someone might trip over them.

• Make sure your child knows the dangers of throwing things inside the bus or out the window. An object striking the school bus driver or another motorist could result in a collision.

• Let children know the importance of keeping heads and arms inside the bus at all times.

• When exiting, remind students to avoid snagging backpack straps, drawstrings or loose clothing on bus handrails. If they must cross the street, tell them to do so well in front of the bus where they can be seen by the bus driver and other drivers. Most school bus crossing procedures have students stop before crossing and continue only after the bus driver signals it is clear.

Basch also has tips for motorists driving through school zones or on roads with school buses:

• Obey posted limits in school zones, remembering that schools are open from late August to June.

• Be alert to directions from school crossing guards.

• When a school bus with overhead flashing red lights is loading or unloading children, motorists must stop and remain stopped until the bus driver turns off the red overhead lights.

• Stay back at least four seconds when following a school bus.

For the 700,000 Michigan youngsters who walk or travel by personal vehicle to school, Basch advises:

• Walkers should travel the safest route to school, using all available protection.

• Car pools should have all occupants buckled up. Students should be able to get in and out of cars safely away from the traffic flow.

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Vikings clash with Roscommon Bucks in football opener

Sign up!

GRA holding late registration for soccer, basketball programs

Children grades kindergarten through sixth grade will soon be headed toward the soccer fields or hardwood, as part of the fall programs being offered by the Grayling Recreation Authority (GRA).

During late registration, parents may still sign-up their children during a their children to participate in girls basketball program from grades first through sixth, or K-6 for girls and boys soccer. The original deadline to register was Aug. 26th.

The first game for the soccer league is set for Sept. 10th, while girls basketball will start Sept. 17th.

The program will run eight weeks, with first and second grade girls participating in an instructional basketball program on Tuesday evenings at the Grayling Elementary School.

Girls grades third through sixth will practice during weekdays, with games scheduled on Saturdays at the Grayling Middle School.

The GRA is also registering children, both boys and girls grades K-6, for its fall soccer program. The program will run for eight weeks, with games being played at the Booster Club Soccer Field.

Persons may register their children at the Hanson Hills Recreational Area office. For more information, persons may call the GRA office at the Hanson Hills at (517) 348-9266.



READY--SET--HUT ONE-- HUT TWO!-- Junior quarterback Joe Godlewski awaits the snap of the ball from senior center Mike Joseph in preparation for the 1994 season opening game in Roscommon on Friday, Sept. 2. Viking Coach Don Stowers promises a "wide open" type defense this year allowing Godlewski to pass the ball often.

By Terry Wright
Staff Writer

With the opening game of football season less than a week away, Viking Head Coach Don Stowers used the Viking Football Club's first "tailgate party" to introduce his team to the public.

More than 100 fans showed up at the football field with lawn chairs and blankets on Monday, Aug. 29 to enjoy hotdogs, kielbasa, potato salad and baked beans in support of the '94 Vikings. Proceeds from the party and from the sale of Viking clothing will go toward the GHS football program.

After the picnic, the fans gathered in the bleachers to listen to Stowers introduce his team and show off some of its offensive and defensive strategies by walking through a series of plays.

"In our scrimmages," Stowers said, "we played much tougher competition than Roscommon. We hope that will pay off on Friday night."

The Vikings open their season against traditional neighboring rival Roscommon at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, Sept. 2. Last year the Vikings beat the Bucks in Grayling by a score of 21-14.

1994 marks Stowers' return as GHS head football coach after a three year hiatus.

"It feels good to be back," Stowers said. "I was miserable out of coaching, just like I was told I would be. They were right. I didn't think I would miss it until it was gone."

Stowers said his team has been working hard preparing for the season. He said the Vikings will use what he described as a "wide open" offensive style, with lots of pass options to his backs, wide receivers and flankers.

"I'll be counting on all the seniors to provide leadership by example and mental toughness," Stowers said.

Stowers will be assisted by coaches Don Ferguson, Chuck Spencer and Fred Wolcott. Managers for this year's team include Jared Medler, Justin Raddatz and Moldovan exchange student, Alex Tsureau.

When asked if his team is ready for the season, Spencer said. "We're not looking much beyond the first game. You won't find many coaches that spend the amount of time in preparation that Coach Stowers does. He knows the game better than anyone I know. I think we'll be ready."

Offensively, Stowers introduced junior Joe Godlewski as the starting quarterback.

Running backs included seniors Ron Woidan and Steve Bugyi, juniors Andy Perrin, Dave Harris, Ryan Schlehuber and Chris Kucharek, sophomore Jason Hall and freshman Joe Woidan.

The wide-receivers are seniors Chris Jones, Charlie Kucharek, Tom Oberg and Pete Radzwion, juniors Jason Hatfield, Justin Eddy and Jake Beckwith.

The Viking offensive line includes seniors Scott Longendyke, Mike Joseph, Andy Langowski, Jason Secord, Mike Johnson, Chip Waite and Lowell Bindschattel, juniors Corey Northrop, John Hilyard, Jason Thompson, Ron Peterson, Josh Larson, James Peckat, Ben Labo and Scott Hartman.

Each player also has an assigned defensive position.

"We're looking for good senior leadership on defense," Spencer said.

Spectators attending the opening game in Roscommon on Friday are urged to join the Viking caravan. The caravan will line up in the Grayling High School parking lot prior to its 6:30 p.m. departure for Roscommon.



LEADING THE TEAM TO VICTORY-- Victor Viking is ready to lead the charge into Roscommon on Friday night.

Viking golfers compete in Boyne Invitational Tourney

The Grayling High School Viking boys' golf team travelled to the Boyne Invitational Tournament on Thursday, Aug. 25, where they shot an 18-hole team total of 436.

Coach Herb Olson said, although he has not received the final results of the tournament, he believed his Viking team finished somewhere in the middle of the Class A-B schools in attendance.

Sophomore Miguel Perez again led the Viking golfers with a score of 93. Freshman Jerry Roman was close behind Perez with a 98. Other Viking golfers playing in Boyne were junior Tim Febey, sophomore Clark Wilcox

and freshman Rob Lawe.

"Traverse City won the tournament," Olson said. "We could have done better, but I was happy to see Roman do so well."

Perez was named as the Grayling High School "Viking of the Week" for his performance in Boyne, and for winning medalist honors in the previous match in West Branch.

The Viking golfers traveled to Gaylord on Monday, Aug. 30, and will be in Kalkaska on Tuesday, Aug. 31 to challenge the Kalkaska Blue Blazers.

"Press on Regardless" makes local stop Sept. 24

Grayling will be one of the stops for the 1994 "Press On Regardless Rally," as more than 40 teams are expected to compete in the off-road competition sponsored by Total Petroleum.

Cars will be stopping at the Total Gas Station on the I-75 Business Loop in Grayling on Saturday, Sept. 24. Cars will gather there for a 10 a.m. restart of the event, as they make their way back to the finish line at Alma.

The more than 40 cars will begin their trek on Sept. 23rd in Alma on a northeasterly loop toward West Branch and Mio, ending the first day of competition in Grayling. The race will begin at 11 a.m. in Alma, with teams leaving in one minute intervals, on the 23rd at the Total station on Alger Road on M-46.

On the morning of the 24th, teams will ready themselves to hit the trails again, with the finish line more than 250 miles away in Alma through a maze of twisting dirt roads. The drivers will be challenged by forest roads and two track trails originally used during the 1969 rally.

The 1994 rally will include classifications for competitors according to the SCCA Touring Rally rules, plus classes for vintage rally cars and a novice class for first timers.

There is still room for a few more entries, which will be limited to the first 50 teams. For more information, persons may contact Gene Henderson at (313) 464-1458.



NOW HIT HIM AGAIN, BUT HARDER!-- Assistant Coach Don Ferguson (Center) works with Viking linemen during preseason practice at the Grayling High practice field.

130 chosen for two September elk hunts

Department of Natural Resources Director Roland Harnes announced that 130 Michigan residents have been randomly selected to participate in the state's September elk hunts.

Of those selected, 65 individuals will participate in the Sept. 7-11 hunt, and the remaining 65 will participate in the Sept. 14-19 hunt.

"The opportunity for elk hunting this fall is the result of successful wildlife management efforts to maintain Michigan's elk population," Harnes said. "These efforts involve keeping the herd at a desirable size to minimize crop, range and forest damage, as well as to preserve a viable herd for viewing opportunities."

The successful applicants were computer-drawn from more than 20,000 persons who applied for the September licenses. Certified letters have been mailed to the successful applicants.

Of the 130 hunters, 40 will have the

choice of taking an antlered or antlerless elk, while 90 will be allowed to take only antlerless elk.

This year's elk hunting areas will include portions of Charlevoix, Cheboygan, Emmet, Montmorency, Otsego and Presque Isle counties.

The unsuccessful applicants from

Bowmen offer tune-up time

Bow hunters looking for an opportunity to ready themselves for the fall bow deer season, starting Oct. 1, may practice with at the Bear Bowmen outdoor range at the Hanson Hills Recreational Area.

The club is currently opening the range to bow hunters each Tuesday until the season's opening day.

Target practice will be on 3-D McKenzie targets. The range will be open from 5 p.m. until dusk.

the September drawings will be included in the drawing for licenses to hunt in a Dec. 6-13 elk hunt. Applications for the December hunt can still be submitted if postmarked by Sept. 15. However, individuals may only submit one application per calendar year.

The current size of the herd is estimated at about 1,500 elk.

Bruce Smith named to Michigan H.S. Coaches Hall of Fame

Former Grayling Viking basketball coach Bruce Smith has been notified that he is a 1994 inductee into the Michigan High School Coaches Hall of Fame.

Smith guided the Vikings from the late 1940's until his retirement from coaching after the 1964-65 basketball season.

He will be honored during induction ceremonies at Central Michigan University, the home of the Coaches Hall of Fame, late in September.

The *Avalanche* will carry the full story of Smith's career and induction in its Sept. 29 issue.

Holiday Inn Viking PLAYER OF THE WEEK

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Miguel Perez

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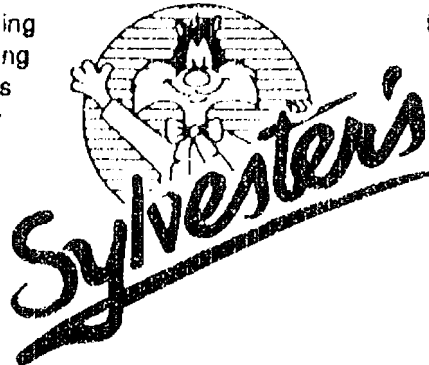
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4. Return the entry form by 5 p.m. Friday to the Avalanche. Mail slot in our door may be used Wednesday or Thursday night after 5 p.m. and before 9 a.m. Mail entries must be postmarked Friday or earlier. No late entries accepted. No exceptions.
5. The person with the most correct picks wins all the weekly prizes listed.

To win the overall prizes:

1. Each time you turn in an entry form you'll receive points for your correct picks. Most games will be worth one point. (All games for week 1 are worth one point each.) Later in the season, certain games will be designated as bonus point games worth more than one point. The biggest bonus point game will be at the last week of the contest.
2. You don't have to enter each week to be eligible to win but if you play each week, you'll have more chances to win points.
3. The person with the most points at the end of the football contest will win all the overall prizes.

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- *\$10 gift certificate from Abel Auto Parts
- *Free large sandwich, large fries, large drink & dessert (of your choice) from Burger King
- *\$10 off any service at Grayling Car Care
- *\$50 from the Crawford County Avalanche

Overall Prizes

- *Free lube, oil & filter from Scheer Motors
- *Mystery gift from Sylvester's
- *\$25 gift certificate from Mac's Drugs
- *\$10 gift certificate from Grayling Glen's Market
- *Free lube, oil & filter from Don Nester
- *\$50 off any purchase from Abel Auto Parts
- *\$25 gift certificate from Grayling Red Barn
- *\$50 gift certificate from Comfort Center
- *Free full service oil change at Grayling Car Care (\$20.25 value)
- *\$100 and one year free subscription from the Crawford County Avalanche

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NAME

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Week #1 for games Sept. 3-4

WINNER

ADVERTISER

- Game 1
- Game 2
- Game 3
- Game 4
- Game 5
- Game 6
- Game 7
- Game 8
- Game 9
- Game 10
- Game 11
- Game 12
- Game 13
- Game 14
- Game 15
- Game 16

Tiebreaker 1 (total points scored in game 1)

Tiebreaker 2 (total points scored in game 16)

Tiebreaker 3 (total points scored in game 8)

Avalanche Football Contest Official Rules

1. Contestants must list the advertiser in which each game is found. Entry blanks without advertisers listed will be invalid.
2. One entry per person a week will be accepted. Crawford Co. Avalanche employees are not eligible.
3. Completed entry blanks must be returned to the Avalanche no later than 5 p.m. Friday before each week's games. Mailed entries must be postmarked no later than 5 p.m. Friday. Mail to Avalanche, PO Box 490, Grayling, MI, 49738.
4. Entries must be on an official entry blank as printed in the Avalanche. No purchase necessary to enter. Entry forms are available at the Avalanche office.
5. Winners may claim their prizes at the Avalanche office between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. weekdays. Identification and a social security number must be presented when claiming a prize.

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Middle School Boys Basketball 1994-1995

Date	Green Team Opponent	Place	Time	White Team Opponent	Place	Time
Dec. 15	Houghton Lake	7th Home	5 p.m.	Houghton Lake	7th Home	5 p.m.
Dec. 19	Gaylord	8th Away	5 p.m.	Gaylord	8th Away	5 p.m.
Jan. 4	Roscommon	7th Home	5 p.m.	Roscommon	8th Away	5 p.m.
Jan. 12	Houghton Lake	8th Home	6 p.m.	Houghton Lake	7th Home	6 p.m.
Jan. 16	Kalkaska	7th Away	5 p.m.	Kalkaska	8th Home	5 p.m.
Jan. 18	Johannesburg	8th Home	6 p.m.	Kalkaska	7th Away	6 p.m.
Jan. 25	Roscommon	Home	6 p.m.	Roscommon	8th Home	6 p.m.
Jan. 26	Gaylord	7th Home	6 p.m.	Gaylord	7th Home	6 p.m.
Feb. 1	Kalkaska	8th Away	5 p.m.	Kalkaska	8th Away	5 p.m.
Feb. 2	Kalkaska	7th Home	6 p.m.	Kalkaska	7th Home	6 p.m.
Feb. 6	Boyer City	8th Away	5 p.m.	Boyer City	8th Away	5 p.m.
Feb. 8	Johannesburg	Home	5 p.m.	Johannesburg	Home	5 p.m.

Tournament Green: 2-6, 2-7, 2-8, 2-9, held in Houghton Lake
Tournament White: 2-13, 2-14, 2-15, 2-16, held in Roscommon

Middle School Girls Basketball 1994

Date	(A) Green Team Opponent	Place	Time	(B) White Team Opponent	Place	Time
Sept. 7*	Johannesburg	Home	6 p.m.	Houghton Lake	7th Away	5 p.m.
Sept. 19	Houghton Lake	7th Away	5 p.m.	Roscommon	8th Home	5 p.m.
Sept. 21	Roscommon	8th Home	5 p.m.	Roscommon	7th Away	6 p.m.
Sept. 26	Kalkaska	7th Away	6 p.m.	Kalkaska	8th Home	6 p.m.
Oct. 3	Gaylord	8th Home	6 p.m.	Gaylord	7th Away	5 p.m.
Oct. 6	Gaylord	7th Away	5 p.m.	Boyer City	8th Home	5 p.m.
Oct. 10	Roscommon	Home	6 p.m.	Roscommon	7th Home	6 p.m.
Oct. 12	Houghton Lake	8th Away	6 p.m.	Houghton Lake	8th Away	6 p.m.
Oct. 19	Boyer City	7th Home	5 p.m.	Johannesburg	Home	5 p.m.
Oct. 26	Kalkaska	8th Away	6 p.m.	Kalkaska	7th Home	6 p.m.
Oct. 27	Gaylord	7th Home	5 p.m.	Gaylord	8th Away	5 p.m.

*This game subject to being rescheduled
Tournament Green: 11-1, 11-2, 11-3, 11-4, held in Roscommon
Tournament White: 11-7, 11-8, 11-9, 11-10, held in Houghton Lake

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FOX RUN GOLF NEWS

By Dick Spenny

There is no more room for waiting as the Fox Run men's league reaches its final position night of the season. Nearly all races are as tight as a four dollar girdle with several teams close enough to bag the championship. In first flight, Tom Bailey and Jim Lederman have slipped into first due to Lederman's outstanding three birdie gross 35. Tim Gilchrist and Brian Farrell are only three back with Steve McNitt and Lynn Hutchinson lurking in the wings, four and one half out. Six players in the first flight's 16 turned in identical scores of 40 in week 15.

Second flight's standings show the usual razor thin margin with Rick Marshall and Steve Stuck clinging to a single point margin over Corky Gaylor and Hans Lantzsch. Bart Kjolhede and Les Job have a slim chance at the crown since they are only four in

arrears. Marshall's 39 was the standout round of the night. Don Moore's net 32 was the finest of the handicap cards.

The pitcher is being iced down for Steve Green and Leo Johns in flight three. They boast a huge 13 point lead in third flight and it would seem that all they must do is avoid wrecking the cart to sweep to victory over runners-up Glenn Jones and Jim Savage. Jones did fire a flight low 43 to keep the leaders in sight. Dave Greenway's net 32 was carded against Steve Green's net 34 in a personal match that was split right down the middle.

Jim Watson and George Kehoe will face a final summer battle against Doc Oppy and Jim Rutledge for fourth flight honors. Watson's team is four ahead thanks in part to sub Bob Porter's fine play all summer. Porter's net 31 helped garner a 15 point win to set up

the showdown.

Bill St. Thomas of Northville brought in Fox Run's first hole-in-one of the 1994 season when he holed out from 146 yards at the 17th with a six iron. His score for the round was 79. It was St. Thomas' second hole-in-one after 30 years of playing.

Fox Run employees and spouses will share a "fun night" together with a cookout and a tournament that will be played after dark with balls that glow in the dark. Among the usual hazards will be the chance that a player might get lost in the darkness.

Members are reminded of the fact that GAM handicaps will be required in order to qualify for club tournament titles. Only a few weeks remain in which to establish a true handicap. Contact the pro shop for details.

BLOOPER BALL STANDINGS

Men's Blooper Ball Standings	
J & P	2-1
Bears	2-1
Mabel's	2-1
Mio	2-1
CCC	2-1
Holiday Inn	1-2
AJD	1-2
Cedar Motel	0-3

Triangle League needs bowlers

The Triangle League needs new bowlers and new teams. They will hold a meeting on Tuesday, Sept. 6, at Deb and Dale's Barber Shop, 7 p.m. sharp.

American League to start bowling

The American League 2nd Division will start bowling on Tuesday, September 6, at 7 p.m.

Viking football

1994 season opener
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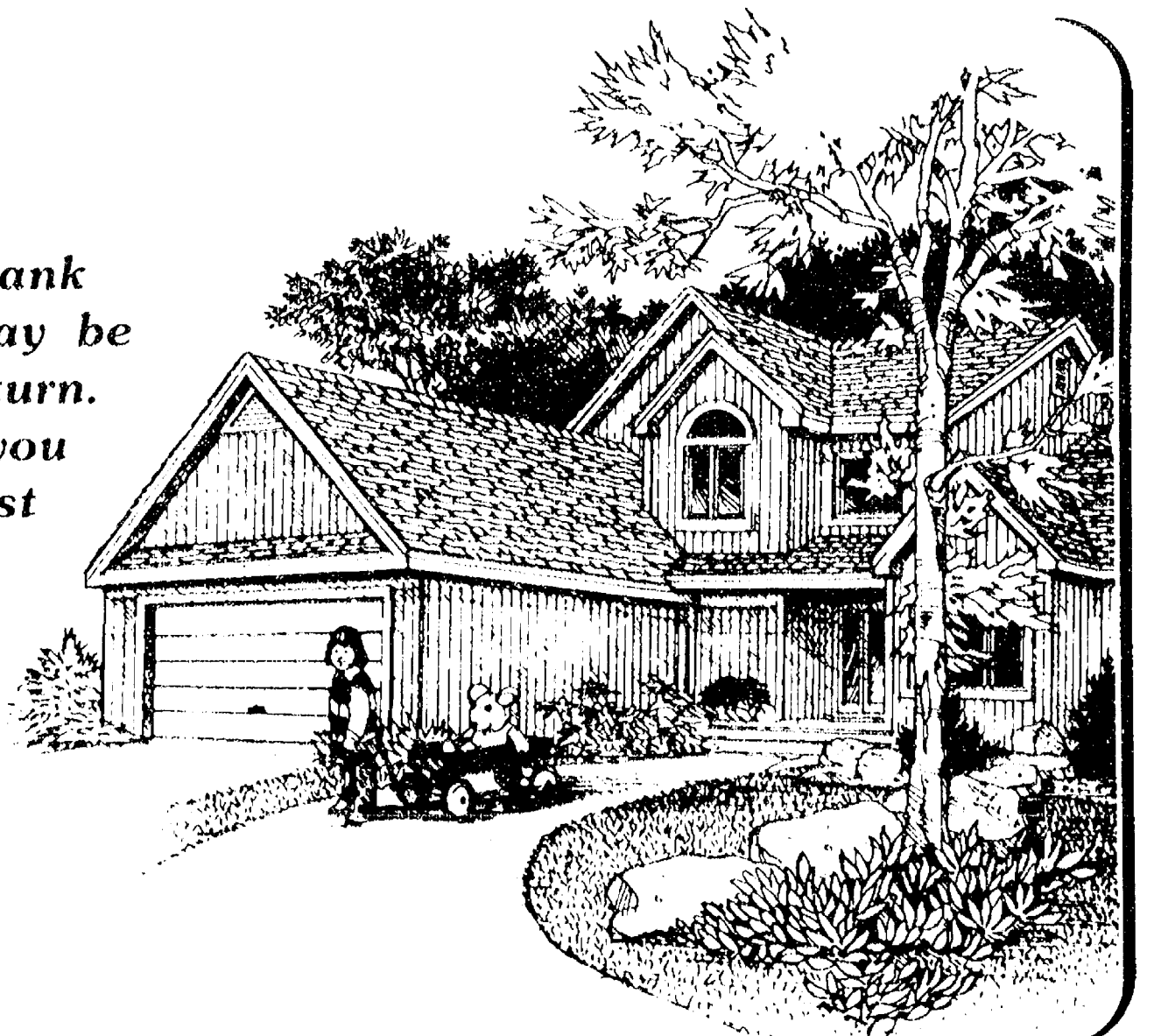
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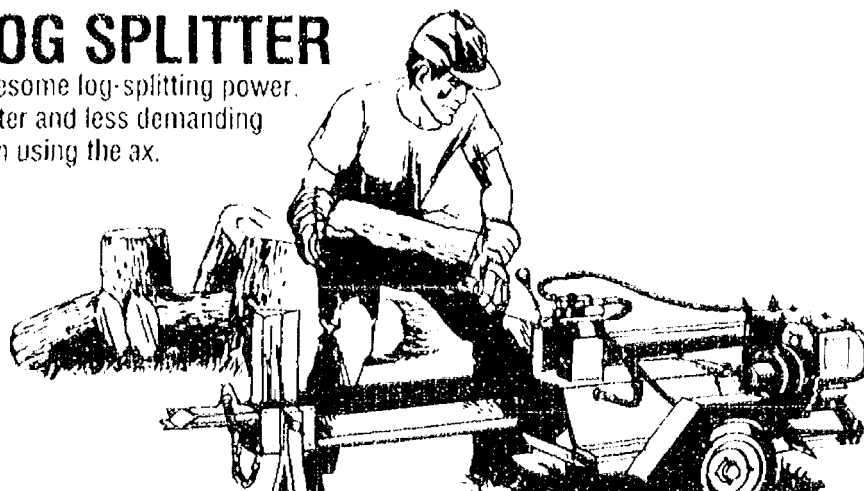
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Local support puts Marathon on the airways

The Grayling Area Visitors Council (GAVC) and the Greenbush-Oscoda Area Lodging Association (GOAL) supported efforts to televise this year's Weyerhaeuser AuSable River Canoe Marathon.

A 1-hour Marathon program was recently aired on the PASS cable sports channel and on WCMU Public Television. The production of this program was supported by both GOAL and GAVC. The program highlighted the AuSable River Valley area in addition to the up close look at this year's race.

There was also coverage of the race on England's regional BBC stations and a 7 1/2 minute story on an internationally broadcast *Week in Sports* show. *Transworld Sports* is broadcast to 179 million households in 92 countries. The GAVC supported the visit by Ron Isles, an independent film producer from Great Britain who produced the broadcast.

Also with the assistance of GAVC, the committee followed up on a new program first attempted in 1993: Satellite distribution of Marathon news reports and interviews. This year many of the Marathon contestants' "hometown" television stations carried pre-race and/or post-race reports including taped interviews with their "hometown" contestant at the Marathon.



GAVC DONATION TO MARATHON--David Sabin, President of the Grayling Area Visitor's Council (C) presents a check in the amount of \$4,000 to Marathon committee President Phil Weiler (L) and publicity chairman Steve Southard.

These were edited into two 1-hour satellite transmissions that the out-of-state stations copied and then edited into stories for their news and sports reports. Among the stations that received and aired stories utilizing

some of the material broadcast were television stations in Austin, TX; Vancouver, WA; Norfolk, VA; Duluth, MN; Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, Canada; and Montreal, Quebec, Canada.

The committee is currently working with the producer of the 1-hour program to re-edit a revised version of the program which is for sale by the committee for \$15.95 (plus \$4 shipping or handling; or to be picked up with no shipping charge).

Planning for next year's Marathon coverage is already underway. The GAVC has appointed Dave Sabin to be the liaison with the Marathon publicity group in planning next year's effort.

The Grayling Marathon committee's next meeting will be at the Marathon office in the mini-mall at 7 p.m., Thursday, Oct. 20. To order a Marathon video, or to contact the Marathon committee, write them at P.O. Box 911, Grayling, MI 49738.

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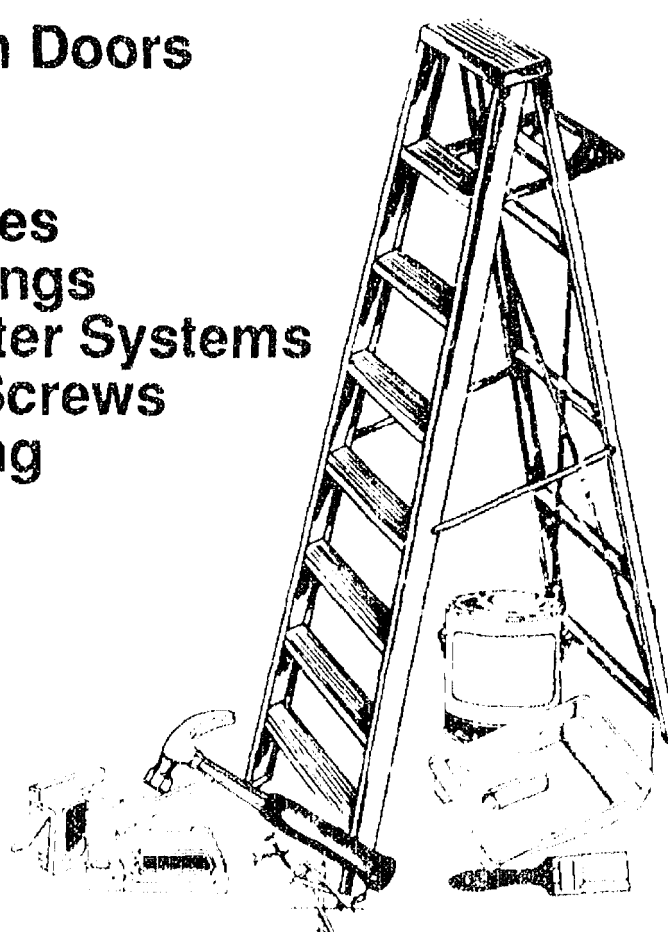
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Parents make the difference, say nation's best principals

(NU)--When it comes to improving student learning, there's no substitute for a strong partnership between parents and the school. That's the advice of the finalists in the 1993 National Principal of the Year (NPOY) competition.

"Parent involvement is the final leg of the education triangle that will assure success for the student," says William C. Martin, principal, Texas City High School. "When students, teachers and parents work together, kids learn."

"Parents are clearly a key to successful learning," contends National Principal of the Year Janie Ruth (Hill) Hatton, principal, Milwaukee Trade and Technical High School. "And the older children become, the more they need parental support."

The Principal of the Year program is sponsored by MetLife and the National Association of Secondary School Principals (NASSP).

Hatton believes one of the best ways parents can contribute to a youngster's growth and education is to affirm his or her accomplishments.

"Compliment your child and ask positive questions," she advises.

Every time a parent praises his or her child for a quality performance on a class project or completing a homework assignment, that parent is reinforcing the value of education, according to Hatton.

Parents should ask questions that will lead youngsters to take the right action, not questions that will condemn them for mistakes, Hatton urges.

Question whether students have a plan to complete an assignment before it's due, not why they didn't turn in the assignment.

Modeling appropriate behavior is another important way parents can set their children on the right path, according to Billie Jean Knight, another NPOY finalist and principal, Manhattan Beach (California) Intermediate School.

"Read, read, read," Knight urges parents. "Students need to see that people around them believe reading is important. If kids do not have good role models, they simply won't do it [read]."

Knight, whose school distributes a summer reading list for parents, also calls upon parents to listen to their teenagers.

"Today, very few families talk to each other," she says. "Parents should try to be around for their teens and listen to them, not just give them directions. Students also need to see listening skills modeled."

Martin says parents should not be afraid to come into schools.

"Parents may feel they are not wanted in schools because in the past we may have made them unwelcome," Martin explains. "But we have moved beyond that. Parents should go into the school and ask how they can help. They need to be in classrooms working with teachers and students."

Nomination forms for National Principal of the Year may be requested through NASSP at 1-703-860-0200.

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LEGAL ACTION

SYNOPSIS Crawford County Board of Commissioners Regular Meeting August 10, 1994

Meeting was called to order at 9:30 a.m. in the County Building, Grayling, MI. Commissioners present: Long, Goodale, Coy, McLachlan, Smock and Mattis. Commissioners absent: None. There were 13 visitors present at various times.

IN FORMAL ACTION, COMMISSIONERS:

—Accepted the minutes of the Regular Meeting of July 27, 1994.

—Accepted the Ways & Means Committee Report and approved payment of the following vouchers: General Fund vouchers in the amount of \$77,543.22; Delinquent Tax Administration Fund vouchers in the amount of \$350; Public Improvement Fund vouchers in the amount of \$18,322.73; and Commissioners Per Diem and Expenses as follows: Long, \$64; Goodale, \$64; Coy, \$64; McLachlan, \$64; Mattis, \$64.

—Accepted 14 pieces of communications.

—Reappointed Loretta Hassan to a five year term on the Library Board.

—Appointed Dean L. Welch to fill a vacancy on the Crawford County Public Housing Authority.

—Agreed to endorse the resolution adopted by Denton County, Texas urging prayer be returned to the public schools.

—Appointed Clerk Wieland and Treasurer Wakeley as Officer Delegate and Alternate as the County's representatives at the 1994 annual MERS' meeting.

—Approved the request of Grayling Recreation Authority to place a millage proposal on the November General Election Ballot for 1/2 mill levy indefinitely.

—Agreed to discontinue using Northern Litho as a vendor pending a law suit settlement with one of the local units.

—Requested that a collective effort be made by the Building Authority and Legal Counsel to determine that the bill of Mackinac Environmental Tech is within the quoted bid prior to release of payment.

—Accepted the Ways & Means Committee recommendation to waive the hiring freeze and approved another full time position in the Clerk/ Register of Deeds office.

—Agreed to support a request by the AuSable River Watershed Restoration Committee to use one of the old garages, through their temporary permit with the DNR, to store their equipment and supplies at the old Hatchery office.

—Appointed City Environmental Services, Inc.; Northern A-1 Services; Lewiston Rubbish

DISTRICT COURT

Todd Richard Hopper, 36, of Waterford, pled guilty to a charge of Impaired Driving, and was fined \$550 or 55 days, placed on six months probation, plus his license was suspended six months. He was cited Feb. 14, 1994, by the Sheriff Dept.

Service; G & L Roll-Off; Camp Grayling MUCC Conservation Club; Trout Unlimited of Grayling; Chairman of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners; Jerry Morford, City Manager; Arnold Stencil, Township Supervisor; N E MI Council of Governments Director; Weyerhaeuser; Rose Ann Owens; Larry R. Domick; and Dan Alstott to the Crawford County Solid Waste Planning Committee.

—Appointed Jack Kinsora to the Crawford County Building Authority.

—Authorized participation by the County in the Northern Michigan Community Corrections Advisory Board upon review of Sheriff, Jail Administrator, and Board Chairman.

—Support and endorse Sheriff Lovell's letter opposing a change in the FCC regulations to allow inmates to select telecommunication carriers of their choosing.

—Agreed that all Departments be notified that they have adequate staffing to keep offices open during regular business hours and that lunch hours should be staggered to better serve the public.

Meeting was adjourned at 1:08 p.m. Elizabeth H. Wieland, County Clerk

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in a condition of the Mortgage made June 6, 1979 by the Grayling State Bank, as Mortgagee, to Ronald G. Vradenburg, a single person, as Mortgagor, and recorded on June 8, 1979, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, Michigan in Liber 178, Page 270, on which Mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice the sum of Nineteen Thousand Six Hundred Sixteen Dollars and 03/100 (\$19,616.03) in principal; Five Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy Six Dollars and 01/100 (\$5,776.01) in delinquent taxes; and Fifteen Dollars and 08/100 (\$15.08) in late fees; no legal or equitable proceedings having been instituted to recover the debt, or any part of the debt, secured by the Mortgage, and the power of sale in the Mortgage contained having become operative by reason of the default.

Notice is now given that on Wednesday, September 21, 1994, at 10:00 a.m. at the front door of the Courthouse in the City of Grayling, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid on the Mortgage, together with the legal costs and charges of sale, including an attorney's fee as provided by law and in the Mortgage, the land and premises mentioned and described in the Mortgage as follows:

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David R. Sabin, Attorney for

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NOTICE

ATTENTION LOVELLS TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS

Any township resident interested in applying for the position of Maintenance for the Lovells Township Hall, Grounds and Cemetery, please contact the township supervisor or clerk at the town hall on Tuesdays, Wednesdays or Thursdays between the hours of 9 am and 3 pm or by phone, 348-9215 by September 8, 1994.

Cheryl Hopp
Lovells Township Clerk

CITY OF GRAYLING PUBLIC NOTICE FILING OF PROPOSED BASIC CABLE TELEVISION RATES

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that on August 17, 1994, C-TEC CABLE SYSTEMS OF MICHIGAN filed with the City Clerk its proposed schedule of rates for the basic cable television service tier and associated equipment. Except those parts of the filing which may be withheld as proprietary, the filing is available for public inspection and copying in the office of the City Clerk, 103 S. James, Grayling, Michigan. Interested parties are encouraged to submit written comments on the filing to the City Clerk not later than seven (7) days after the date of this public notice is published.

Jerry W. Morford, City Clerk

NOTICE

TO RESIDENTS OF GRAYLING TOWNSHIP

The annual fall date for the disposal of used household appliances and furniture will be held at the GRAYLING TRANSFER STATION on North Down River Road, Saturday, September 3, 1994, from 8 am to 1 pm.

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GRAYLING TOWNSHIP NOTICE

TO PROPERTY OWNERS ON PAPPY'S TRAIL AND WILDERNESS TRAIL

Please be notified that the Grayling Township Board will hold public hearings on Tuesday, September 13, 1994, beginning at 8 pm, in the Conference Room of the Grayling Township Hall, 2090 Viking Way (M-72 West), to receive and review public comment regarding approval of five year Assessment Rolls for continuing maintenance of Pappy's Trail (Sec. 7, T26N, R2W) and Wilderness Trail (Sec. 25, T26N, R3W).

Property owners who are a part of these Special Assessment Districts who feel they should be excused from this assessment because they receive no benefit should be present at the hearing or contact the Grayling Township Office, (in writing) P.O. Box 521, Grayling, MI 49738, prior to the hearing in order to protect any further rights they may have to appeal.

The Tentative Special Assessment Rolls are available for inspection at the Grayling Township Office during regular business hours. Phone (517) 348-4361.

Monica S. Ashton, C.M.C.
Grayling Township Clerk

NOTICE

Northern Michigan Substance Abuse Services, Inc. is seeking proposals for the provision of outpatient treatment, casefinding and prevention services for substance abuse problems in the county of Crawford for the year beginning January 1, 1995, through September 30, 1995. For further information contact: Northern Michigan Substance Abuse Services, Inc., 1665 West M-32, Baraga Building, P.O. Box 1278, Gaylord, MI 49735, (517) 732-1791. Federal and state funding has been provided to support in the project costs.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Walsh Road, between North Down River Road and Griffin Road, will be closed for approximately two weeks for road repair, starting August 22, 1994. Detour route is Griffin Road to Firetower Road to North Down River Road.

Robert E. Nelson
Acting Manager

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The North Central Community Mental Health Services Board will hold a public hearing on its Program Plan/Budget Submission for fy 94/95 in conjunction with its regular board meeting.

September 8, 1994 • 7:30 pm
North Central Community Mental Health
204 Meadows Drive, Grayling, Michigan

Public input is welcome. Further information may be obtained by contacting the Administrative Office (616) 775-3463.

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MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

NOTICE

OPEN HOUSE MEETINGS US-131 FREEWAY CORRIDOR STUDY FROM KALKASKA TO I-75

The Michigan Department of Transportation intends to identify a corridor for the location of the final segment of the US-131 freeway from north of Kalkaska to a connection with I-75. To that end, MDOT will have representatives present at two Open House meetings from 3:30 to 5 pm and 7 to 8:30 pm on the following days at the respective places:

Wednesday, September 21, 1994

In Kalkaska at the new hall of the Kalkaska County Fairground (801 W. Mile Road) on the south side of M-72 west of US-131.

Thursday, September 22, 1994

In Gaylord at the Community Education Bldg's Alpine Inn on 615 S. Elm Street.

The corridors under preliminary consideration extend from north of Kalkaska to points along I-75 somewhere between Grayling and Indian River. These corridors are partially located in the counties of Antrim, Charlevoix, Cheboygan, Crawford, Emmet, Kalkaska, and Otsego.

The purpose of these Open Houses is to provide the opportunity for the public to give its input on the possible future corridor location wherein alternatives for a US-131 freeway could be built. Please feel free to drop in at either meeting at any time during the advertised hours.

It is the intent of the Department not only to invite, but also to encourage citizen involvement and participation in the study. It must be stressed that this is not a public hearing of recommended highway improvements, as there have been none selected. The objective of these meetings is to gain input, at the earliest possible stage of the study, from local residents and to stimulate communication and cooperation.

Additional information on this study or any Michigan Department of Transportation Planning projects may be obtained by contacting:

Philip Chisholm,
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NOTICE

The City of Grayling Police Department will sell, by sealed bid, several bicycles remaining unclaimed beyond the July 1st, 1994, deadline as described in the Public Notice Advertisement placed in the Avalanche during May 1994. Those interested in placing bids may view the bicycles at the City of Grayling Office Building located at 103 James St., Grayling, MI, between the hours of 8:30 am thru 4:30 pm, Monday through Friday. Bids will be accepted beginning Tuesday, September 5th, 1994, and until 4:30 pm Friday, September 9th, 1994. Notice to those having the highest bids will be determined on Monday, September 12th, 1994. The City of Grayling retains the right to reject any or all bids.

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THANK YOU

The Maple Forest Township Board would like to express their congratulations to the residents/taxpayers in the township that participated in the "Clean-up Day" on August 13. The day was an astounding success.

A special thank you to Steve Scheid, Rick Vanesse, Roger Boonie, Jeff Nisch, Don and Leroy Lowmsbery, Fritz and Ila Williams, Glen Willoughby for their extra time and effort in making the day run smoothly.

Thank you City Environmental Services Inc. of Waters for working so closely with us to put the whole day together, for allowing us to use your site, for the great pizza dinner, and for helping us to make the day possible.

Sincerely,
The Maple Forest Township Board

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Crawford County Planning Commission has received an application for re-zoning described as follows:

Request No. 94-01.

Purpose: To build and operate a small hardware and wood furniture repair at this location.

Location: T28N, R4W, Section 35, Brown & Johnsons Addition, Township of Frederic, Block 2, Lots 11 & 12.

Request to re-zone this property from MDR (Medium Density Residential) to NSC (Neighborhood Service Commercial):

The above request will be considered at a Public Hearing, conducted by the Crawford County Planning Commission on Thursday, September 1, 1994, at 7 pm in the County Building.

Carol Wieber
Building & Zoning Director
August 4, 1994

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LEGAL ACTION

SYNOPSIS

Crawford County Board of Commissioners Regular Meeting July 27, 1994

Meeting was called to order at 9:37 a.m. in the County Building, Grayling, MI. Commissioners present: Long, Goodale, Coy, McLachlan, Mattis. Commissioners absent: Smock. There were seven visitors present at various times.

IN FORMAL ACTION,
COMMISSIONERS:
—Accepted the minutes of the Regular Meeting of July 13, 1994 as presented.
—Accepted the minutes of the Public Hearing of July 19, 1994, as presented.
—Denied a request to dispose of a small building which was used at the Fish Hatchery.
—Agreed to contact Mr. Hatfield to ask his assistance in locating the businesses where fish hatchery donation canisters were placed in the community.

—Accepted 18 pieces of communications.
—Referred the equipment requests from the Building and Zoning Dept. to Ways & Means for recommendation.

—Appointed Sandra Brody Director/Secretary of the Crawford County Housing Rehabilitation and Community Development Commission upon their recommendation.

—Appointed Long as the ex-officio member to the Chamber of Commerce Board in place of Smock.

—Referred the 1993 Marine Safety Program reimbursement issue to Ways & Means Committee for further review.

—Referred the Housing Rehab. and Comm. Development Commission's request for the extension of health insurance to Ways & Means for further study.

—Supported a request from the 46th Circuit Court to create a full time position beginning Oct. 1, 1994.

—Directed the County's legal counsel draft a letter requesting the State provide appropriate funding to accommodate the added expenses incurred with the new restraining orders pursuant to the Headlee amendment.

Conducted a Public Hearing on an amendment to the Crawford County Emergency 911 telecommunications system.

—Approved payment of \$119.89 to Law Weathers & Richardson for the services rendered in the Class Action lawsuit.

—Agreed to advertise for the open Building Authority position.

—Adopted the Crawford County Fair Housing Commission Resolution.

—Adopted a resolution to continue to support the efforts of MSU Extension Service.

—Adopted a resolution honoring Jeannine Eggert for 14 years of dedicated service to the Crawford County Housing and Development Commission.

—Approved the sale of vehicle #25 to Custom Order Police Supply for \$400 as offered.

—Accepted Long's recommendation to approve the request to replace the ORV Officer provided the expenses do not exceed the grant dollars provided in the budget.

—Authorized the Sheriff to fill the Marine Officer position, locally funded, provided expenses are within the budget.

—Sent the request to replace or fill the vacancy of the Road Deputy to the Law Enforcement Committee.

—Amended the Board's Rules and Procedures to create a Law Enforcement Committee of the whole.

—Extended their appreciation to the Grayling

City Police Dept. and the Crawford County Sheriff Dept. for all of their assistance in the recent storm/flood endeavor.

—Adopted the Animal Control Position as presented by Chairman Long.

—Amended the Animal Control Position as adopted and placed the position under the direct supervision of the Board of Commissioners.

—Hired Dixie Lobsinger to fill the position of Animal Control Officer and consider a part-time assistant in a couple of weeks.

—Directed the Chairman of Law Enforcement and the Sheriff to review the fleet of equipment and decide which vehicle will be most cost effective to transfer to the Animal Control officer.

—Agreed to join several citizens and agencies to balance the needs of the military and the citizens of the community.

Recessed the Regular Meeting for an Executive Session.

—Supported the Sheriff in his decision on the grievance filed by POAM.

—Referred the issue of the Law Enforcement Aid Agreement to the Law Enforcement Committee for a recommendation.

Meeting was adjourned at 1:15 p.m. Elizabeth H. Wieland, County Clerk

AMENDED NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by RALPH HIESEL, JR. (a/k/a Ralph Hiesel) and CAROLYN HIESEL, husband and wife, of 113 Old Perry Road, Marshallville, Georgia, 31057, Mortgagor, to GRAYLING STATE BANK, a Michigan corporation, Mortgagee, dated July 29, 1992 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the County of Crawford, and State of Michigan, on the 29th day of July, 1992, in Liber 345 of Mortgages, Page 526, Crawford County Records, on which there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of \$21,168.51, inclusive of attorney fees and costs, of sale contained in the mortgage, and pursuant to the statutes of the State of Michigan, NOTICE is hereby given that on Wednesday, the 8th day of September, 1994, at 10:30 o'clock a.m. the mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder, at the main entrance to the Courthouse in the City of Grayling, Crawford County, Michigan, of that premises described in the mortgage, or so much thereof as

may be necessary to pay the amount due, on the mortgage, with interest thereon at the contract rate and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorney fees allowed by law, and also any sums which may be paid by the mortgagee to protect its interest in the premises.

The premises are described as follows: Situated in the Township of Beaver Creek, County of Crawford, and State of Michigan, described as follows:

Commencing at the NW corner of the SW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Section 30, T25N, R3W, thence East 200 feet; thence South 400 feet; thence West 200 feet; thence North 400 feet to the P.O.B. containing 1.84 acres m/l.

The redemption period shall to six (6) months from the date of such sale.

Dated: August 5, 1994
Bodman, Longley & Dahling
By: Lawrence P. Hanson (P30373)
Attorneys for Mortgagee
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LEGAL ACTION

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STATE OF MICHIGAN JUDICIAL DISTRICT CRAWFORD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT ORDER FOR SERVICE BY PUBLICATION

Case No. 94-3254-CH
Crawford County Bldg., 200 West Michigan Ave., Grayling, MI 49738, (517) 348-2841
WARBLER'S HIDEAWAY ASSOCIATION PLAINTIFF,
VS
Christina Marie Banberger, Kenneth W. Colner & unknown spouse, if any, Robert E. Dotson, Jr., James DuBois, Margaret Emery, unknown spouse of Charles B. Fisher, if any, Ivandell O. Fletcher, Thomas Force, Jr. and unknown spouse, if any, Duane Gardiner, Russell Hahn, Raymond S. Hasenauer, Maxine Hensler, Donald D. Howse & unknown spouse, if any, Geraldine V. Hudley, Martin Jerick, Penny L. Kurchak, Charlotte Litwin, Nancy A. Massa, Mega World, Inc., Paul C. Morville, unknown spouse of Alan McDougall, if any, Denise J. McDonald, a single person, James P. O'Brien,

Roger Packard, Anna Pence, Gregory B. Penix, Biesada Powell, John A. Toby & unknown spouse, if any, Richard Robinette, Jodie Siebert, unknown spouse of James Thelen, Douglas Tillison, James Stiehl & Mary Stiehl (h/w), unknown spouse of Jay E. Walsh, if any, C. T. Webb and M. M. Webb (h/w), unknown spouse of Leland Webster, if any, and Donald Kuebler & unknown spouse, if any,
DEFENDANTS
David R. Sabin P19822
Attorney for Plaintiff
115 Michigan Avenue
Grayling, MI 49738
517/348-5588
TO: Kenneth W. Colner and unknown spouse of Kenneth W. Colner, Robert E. Dotson Jr., Thomas Force, Jr., and unknown spouse of Thomas Force, Jr., Donald D. Howse, Mega World, Inc. (Mega Fun), Roger Packard, D. Biesada Powell, Douglas Tillison, James Stiehl, Mary Stiehl, unknown spouse of Donald Kuebler, M. M. Webb.
IT IS ORDERED:
You are being sued by plaintiff in this court to foreclose a lien placed on your lot(s) located in Warbler's Hideaway Association. You must file your answer or take other action permitted

by law in this court at the court address above on or before 9/29/94. If you fail to do so, a default judgment may be entered against you for the relief demanded in the complaint filed in this case.
Date: 8-8-94
Judge HONORABLE WILLIAM A. PORTER
-1-8-15

STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF CRAWFORD

OLD KENT BANK OF ST. JOHNS, Plaintiff,
v
THEODORE D. SCHMIDT, SR., and ROSEMARY J. SCHMIDT, Defendants.
NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE
Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain Real Estate Mortgage made by THEODORE D. SCHMIDT, SR., and

ROSEMARY J. SCHMIDT, husband and wife, of 6100 Long Meadow Street, Saginaw, Michigan, 48603, mortgagors, to OLD KENT BANK OF ST. JOHNS, a national banking association with offices located in the City of St. Johns, County of Clinton, State of Michigan, mortgagee, said mortgage being dated the 7th day of September, A.D., 1993, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds of Crawford County on the 10th day of September, A.D., 1993, in Liber 365, Pages 174-179 inclusive. That said mortgage is claimed to be due the date of this Notice of Mortgage Foreclosure with principal and interest thereon in the sum of SIXTY-NINETHOUSANDTWOHUNDREDEIGHTY-SIX AND 00/100 (\$69,286.00) DOLLARS.
NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Friday, the 9th day of September, A.D., 1994, at 10:00 a.m., said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public auction to the highest bidder on the Crawford County Courthouse steps, front door, located in the City of Grayling, County of Crawford, State of Michigan, that being the place for holding Circuit Court in the County of Crawford, State of Michigan, and that being the county in which the premises

described herein are located, and so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amounts due as aforesaid on said mortgage, with interest thereon at the rate of 8.25% per annum, together with all legal costs, charges, and expenses, delinquent taxes, and interest and penalties due thereon, and attorney fees as allowed by law; also any sums which may be paid by the undersigned to protect its interest in said premises, which premises are legally described as follows:
Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, Block 1, Oak Hill Park, according to the plat thereof as recorded in Liber 01 of Plats, Page 27, Crawford County Records.
There being more than two-thirds (2/3) of the original indebtedness still due and owing thereon, the redemption period shall be six (6) months from date of sale as aforesaid.
Dated at St. Johns, Michigan, this 28th day of July, A.D., 1994.
OLD KENT BANK OF ST. JOHNS
By: PAUL A. MAPLES (P17063)
Attorney for Plaintiff
306 North Clinton Avenue, P.O. Box 37
St. Johns MI 48879
(517) 224-3238
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The Small Arms Ranges located at Arrowhead Road in Kalkaska County. Firing will be from Aug. 31 and cease on Sept. 2.
Range 20 and 21, Demolition Ranges located south of Howe Road, west of the Crawford County Line, north of Daniels Road, and east of the gas pipeline. Firing will begin on Aug. 31 and cease on Sept. 2.
The Range 40 Complex, located north of County Rd. 612, east of Shennan Road, south of Old State Rd. 618, and west of County Rd. F97 (Twin Bridge Rd.). Firing will begin on Sept. 6 and cease on Sept. 7.
The Range 40 Complex, Air to Ground, located north of County Rd. 612, east of Guthrie Lake, south of Old State Rd. 618, and west of County Rd. F97 (Twin Bridge Rd.). Firing will be from Aug. 31 through Sept. 2, and Sept. 6 through Sept. 7.

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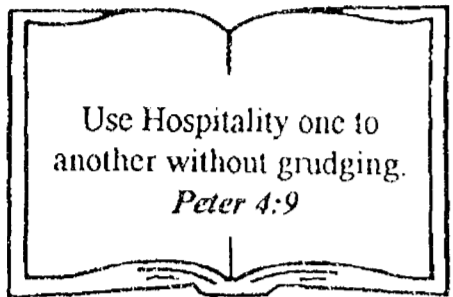
SENIOR CITIZEN NEWS

By Jan Farley

Special thought for the week: Actions don't always speak louder than words, but they tell fewer lies. Everyone had a rip-roaring time at the Beach-Bum dance party. The "legs" and "buns" contests were a riot

Discount tickets to amusement parks available

Discount tickets to Cedar Point and Pleasure Island are available at the Crawford AuSable Community Education office. The tickets save money on gate admission and are good for any day all summer. Call 348-5459 for more information.



so I will just give you their first names: Betsy and Betty tied for "legs" while Hedda got the "buns" prize; Jerry won the "legs" for the men and Willard took the "buns" prize. The supper was delicious and so appropriate for the beach atmosphere and later in the evening we roasted marshmallows over charcoal. Good time!

Remember the "Big Picture" in August with Monday night at the movies and the Wednesday matinee.

Wednesday, Aug. 31, 2:45 p.m., *Homeward Bound*.

Sept. 7 at 2:45, *Father of the Bride* with Steve Martin.

You won't want to miss any of these. Remember we have our new, big screen TV and it is a joy to watch.

Come and eat at the Center. The meals are tasty, well balanced, and you don't have to do the dishes. Any senior, or spouse, in Crawford County that is 60 or older, regardless of income, race, creed and national origin, are welcome. Bring your friends and family. The suggested donation is \$1.50 and \$2.50 for those under 60. Reservations are asked but not

absolutely mandatory, because it is important to have an idea of how many people are coming so that we have enough food. Meals are served at noon and 5 p.m., Monday through Thursday and at noon on Fridays. Menus are subject to change and are listed as **LUNCH/DINNER:**

Aug. 31-Oven Fried Chicken/Pork Roast;
Sept. 1-Boiled New England Dinner/Oven Pork & Veggies;
Sept. 2-BBQ Chicken;
Sept. 5-Center closed for Labor Day observance;
Sept. 6-Goulash/Country Pork;
Sept. 7-Parmesan Chicken/Beef Stroganoff
Sept. 8-Ham Loaf/Roast Pork;
Sept. 9-Pot Roast.

Coming Events

Mark your calendars for:
Wednesday matinee at 2:45 p.m., *Homeward Bound* and White Elephant auction at 5:30 p.m.
Reminder to everyone that the center is closed on Monday, Sept. 5, for Labor Day Observance.

The Bible Speaks

From the Calvary Baptist Church

Discipline

The loss of discipline in our society began a generation ago as God, the Bible, prayer, and witnessing were removed from public life. All absolute authority and rules essential for discipline were discredited. Situational ethics, the new morality, the sexual revolution and the wisdom of modern psychology were substituted. All serious forms of punishment were phased out as outdated, uncivilized, and inhumane. Special forms of education and rehabilitation were in. Now we can't build enough prisons to hold the criminals, we can't keep enough police in our schools to maintain order, our homes have become filled with physical abuse or violence, and we are going broke.

All of us start life as crying babies without discipline. Self-discipline is the ultimate goal of all human discipline. Discipline involves rules or a standard for conduct. Discipline involves training or instruction to learn the rules. Discipline involves control of conduct in obedience to the rules.

Discipline involves punishment for violation of the rules. A disciplined society is controlled by self-disciplined adults. An undisciplined society will be filled with crying babies of all ages striving to practice anarchy.

God says much about the discipline of instruction. "Train up a child in the way he should go; and when he is old, he will not depart from it." (PRO 22:6). "And thou shalt love the LORD thy God with all thine heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy might. And these words, which I command thee this day, shall be in thine heart: And thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children, and shalt talk of them when thou sittest in thine house, and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down, and when thou risest up." (DEU 6:5-7). "That they might set their hope in God, and not forget the works of God, but keep his commandments." (PSA 78:7). "And, ye fathers, provoke not your children to wrath: but bring them up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord." (EPH 6:4).

God says much about correction in discipline. "Foolishness [is] bound in the heart of a child; [but] the rod of correction shall drive it far from him." (PRO 22:15). "The rod and reproof give wisdom: but a child left [to himself] bringeth his mother to shame." (PRO 29:15). "Correct thy son, and he shall give thee rest; yea, he shall give delight unto thy soul." (PRO 29:17). "Children obey your parents in the Lord: for this is right." (EPH 6:1). "Children, obey [your] parents in all things: for this is well pleasing unto the Lord." (COL 3:20). God's ultimate goal in Christian discipline is to conform us into the image of Christ in righteousness and holiness. (HEB 12:5-11).

Pastor "B"

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"It Could Be You..."

"My employer must reduce his labor force. Will I be one of those who must leave? How would I meet my obligations?"

"I have discovered I have a serious illness. Suppose I am unable to function? Could I survive on disability benefits?"

"I have made a serious error. My boss wants to see me in his office! I'm really nervous. Will I be terminated?"

Have you survived feelings that your life could be blown apart? If so, you probably go to work each day with a thankful heart. If you have fortunately escaped those anxious times, you may reflect briefly upon these very real possibilities and be especially grateful for your place in our work force.

This Labor Day, may we thank God each day for our health, our talents, and our workplace. Also, may we pray for those who are dependent, not because of choice, but because of circumstances. ... whatever is gracious, think about these things" (Philippians 4:8). Think about it. It could be you.

Sunday Proverbs 3:1-25

Monday Proverbs 4:1-27

Tuesday Proverbs 12:1-28

Wednesday Proverbs 14:1-35

Thursday Ecclesiastes 7:1-25

Friday Deuteronomy 5:10-22

Saturday Deuteronomy 6:1-9

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First Baptist Church Of Frederic
Pastor Dale Hammond
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wed. Prayer & Bible Study 7 p.m.

Christian Science Society
209 First St. - Suite 103 - Gaylord
Sunday Service 10:30 a.m.
April through October
2nd Wednesday 8 p.m.

Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church
Pastor Doug Paterson
400 Michigan Ave.
Sunday Worship 8:30 & 11 a.m.
Sunday School 9:30-10:30 a.m.
Coffee Fellowship 10:30-11 a.m.
Bible Study (Wed.) 10 a.m.

Seventh Day Adventist
Pastor David Stramel
Phone 348-4445
Services held Saturday at Camp AuSable in 1st building on the right off new entrance road.
Church Service 9:30 a.m.
Sabbath School 10:30 a.m.
Prayer Meeting Tues 7 p.m.

Grayling Assembly of God
Rev. Ron Voelker, Pastor
Old 27 North, 701 Grayling Rd.
Church - 348-8885
Parsonage 348-2588
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday - Family Night
Adult-Youth-Children Sessions 7 p.m.

Christian Science Society
Zone 11, 106 James St. - Houghton Lake
Sunday Ser. & Sunday School, 11 a.m.
1st Wednesday (April-Oct.) .. 7:30 p.m.

Heritage Baptist
Pastor Jim Van Lier 348-7699
1841 Hartwick Pines Rd.
1/4 mile west of I-75
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday 7 p.m.

St. John Evangelical Lutheran (ELCA)
Pastor Joe Trester
710 Spruce St. - Phone 348-5224
Saturday Worship 6 p.m.
Bible Study 9:15 a.m.
Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.
Nursery is available

Reorganized Church Of Jesus Christ Of Latter Day Saints
Pastor Lacey Stephan, Jr.
Corner of North Down River Rd. and South Millikin Rd.
Church School 9:45 a.m.
Preaching 11 a.m.
Midweek Service Prayer 7 p.m.

Gaylord Christian Reformed
Rev. V. Schaap
415 Ohio North
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

St. Mary's Catholic Church
Fr. Michael Conner - 348-7291
702 Peninsular - 348-7657
Saturday 5 p.m.
Sunday 9 & 11 a.m.

Weekday Mass
Tuesday 8 a.m.
Wednesday 10 a.m.
Thursday 8 a.m.
Friday 8 a.m.
Confession Saturday 4 p.m.

Calvary Assembly of God
Rev. Lawrence Cook
250 Lake St. - Roscommon
275-5309
Sunday School 9:45
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Wednesday Family Night 7 p.m.

Lovells Chapel
Pastor Gary Hopp
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Chapel Service 11 a.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting 7-8 p.m.

Calvary Baptist Church
Dr. Robert Barnett, Pastor
M-72 West
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service 10:30 a.m.
Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Mid-Week Services
Prayer & Awana Club (Wed) .. 7 p.m.

Church of Christ
Gordon French Minister
Old US 27 at Skyline Rd.
348-8573
Sunday School 10:15 a.m.
Communion & Preaching 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening 6 p.m.
Wednesday
Mid-week Bible Study 7 p.m.

Bear Lake Christian
M-72 & East Bear Lake Rd.
Sunday School 9 a.m.
Sunday Service 10 a.m.

The Church of Christ with the Eliza Message
Pastor Dohn E. Weaver
7662 Kelly Ave. - Frederic
Sunday Worship 10 a.m.
Sunday Worship 7 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Service 7 p.m.

Abundant Life Tabernacle
Pastor Don Brigham
211 Shellenbarger St.
Grayling, Mich.
Sunday Morning 10 a.m.
Wednesday Evening 7 p.m.

Grayling Baptist Church
Affiliated with S.B.C.
Meeting at 501 Michigan Avenue
(517) 348-2557
Sunday Bible Study 9:45 a.m.
Mor. - Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Worship 6:45 p.m.
Wednesday Services 7 p.m.

AuSable Valley Church Of God
6330 Johnson - Frederic
Sunday School 10:15 a.m.
Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Evening Services 7 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service 7 p.m.
Pollock Fellowship 2nd Sunday each month after morning service.

Free Methodist
Joseph Carpenter - Pastor
6652 W. Kalkaska Rd.
(M-72 West) Phone 348-5362
Sunday School 10 a.m.
Morning Service 11 a.m.
Evening Service 6 p.m.
Prayer Meeting (Wednesday) 7 p.m.

Mt. Hope Evangelical Lutheran - Missouri Synod
Rev. Paul Boerger, Pastor
905 North I-75 Business Loop
Saturday Evening Worship 7 p.m.
Sunday Worship 10:30 a.m.

St. Francis' Episcopal
Vicar: The Rev. Derik J. Roy, Jr.
M-72 West-Office 348-5850
Rectory-348-2682
Sunday Holy Eucharist 8:30 & 10:30 a.m.
Morning Prayer Service 10:30 a.m.
(The second Sunday of each month)
Healing Services 5th Sunday of the month
Adult & Children's Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Sunday nursery provided 10:30 a.m.
Adult Choir Practice (Monday) .. 7 p.m.

St. Martins Ev. Lutheran (Wels)
Herbert R. Filter-Pastor
For information call 275-5443
Services held at the Roscommon Community Center, Sunday nights at 6:30 p.m., 510 South St., Roscommon, MI.

Luzerne Baptist
Pastor James Durfee
2247 Durfee Lane
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Sunday Morning Worship 11 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship 6 p.m.
Wednesday Bible Study 7 p.m.

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WEEKLY FEATURES

VERSE OR WORSE

By Joe Murphy

Aiming High

We were called upon to raise our aim
We did and elected a man named Lowe
And I think we scored a bulls-eye
When to the legislature he did go

Allen Lowe has done the job for us
And the whole state of Michigan
And I feel that he has won the right
To represent our district again

Allen Lowe knows the problems of the north
And worked to solve all he could
He fought hard and well for our district
The way our representative should

Allen didn't just sit back and take it easy
Waiting for others to tell him what to do
When he saw a need he'd write a bill
And worked hard to get it through

Our district can be proud of Allen
Because of the fine, honest work he's done
I think we owe him our support
For the times he's tried and won

Allen Lowe shows incentive and common sense
Regarding the problems facing our state today
Not just hiding his head in the public trough
And hoping the problems will go away

I think we should keep aiming high
Support and vote for Allen Lowe
Who has shown us our state legislature
Can be more than a dog and pony show



CYNDI NEEDS A HOME--Cyndi is a female shepherd mix. She is one-year-old and housebroken. If you would like to give her a home, or any of the other animals at the Animal Shelter of Crawford County, stop by or give them a call at 348-4117.

PET CARE TIPS

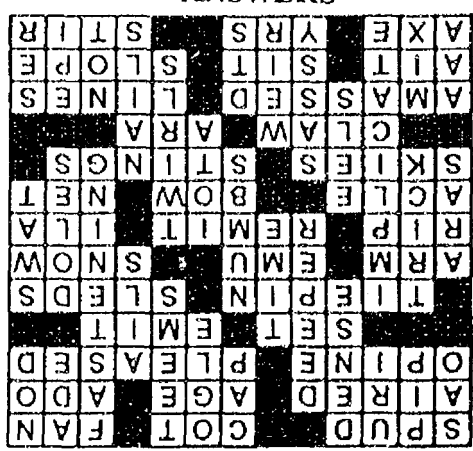
PUPPY TRAINING — Attending obedience class is a good idea, especially when a puppy is in the formative stages of development, says the National Humane Education Society. Professional training can reinforce your pet's good behavior or help you gain greater control if necessary. Most obedience schools will accept puppies at five months and dogs of any age.

WEEKEND CROSSWORD

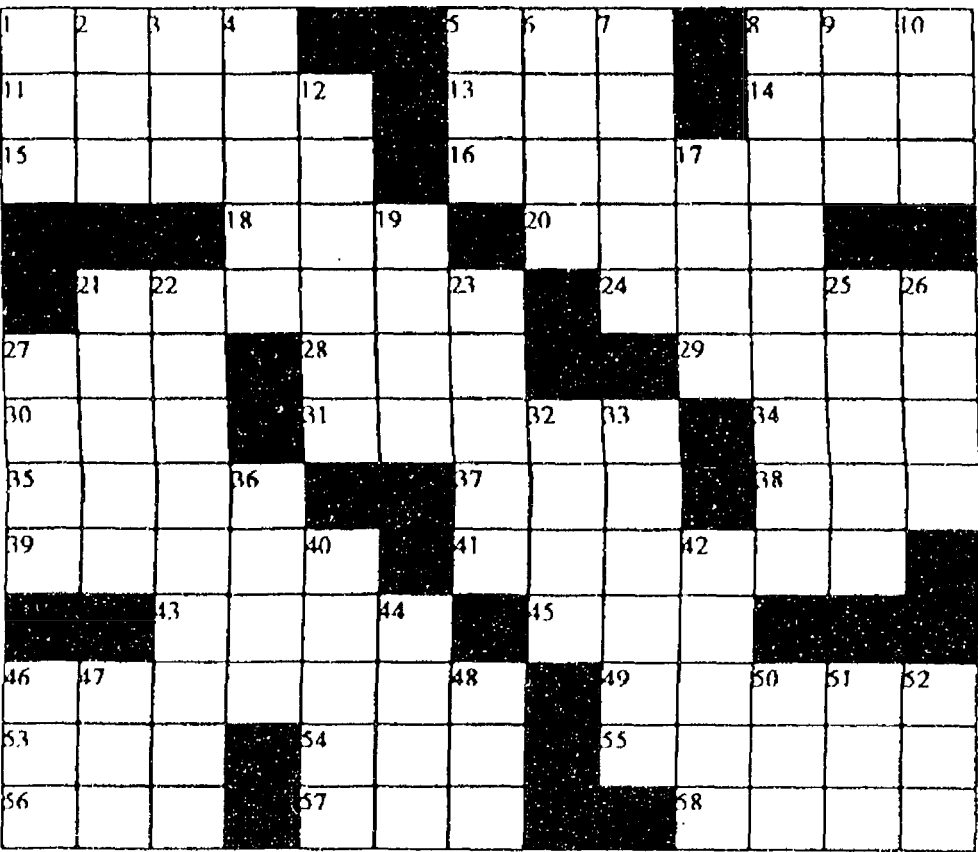
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- Tieclasp
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- Limb
- Flightless bird
- Heroin, slang
- Tear
- Send
- Labor union
- Ironwood
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- Starts
- Curved nail
- Parrot, Brazil
- Gathered
- Queues
- River islet
- Perch
- Slant

THIS WEEK'S PUZZLE ANSWERS



- Chopping tool
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- Prison, slang
- Paulo
- Spot on card
- Tell's canton
- Thick
- Headgear
- Leer
- Swarms
- Affixing
- Soft drink
- Doze
- More profound
- Is ill
- Duration
- Ruse
- Involves
- Deadens
- Metes out
- Strike
- River in Turkey
- Greek letter
- Spins
- Snakelike fish, pl.
- Impudent
- Captures
- Dam
- Auto club's initials
- Stir
- Delirium tremens
- Negative
- Outer skin, prefix
- Persian weight



A LOOK AT OUR PAST FROM THE PAGES OF THE AVALANCHE

23 years ago

September 2, 1971

Melvin Nunn has been appointed the elementary principal of Grayling Elementary School. Melvin, better known as "Pat" is 34, lives with his wife Nancy and three children, Penny, 11, Holly, 8, and Patrick, 1.

A 102-unit Holiday Inn will be built in Grayling, on I-75 Business Loop South, two miles from downtown. Tentative plans for construction are scheduled to start Sept. 1, and expect to be open between April 1-5, 1972.

Dan and Wanda Zielinski, the new owners of Wag-On-Inn, are formerly of Redford Township.

Dan is a retired detective of the Detroit Police division of the Special Investigation squad. Wanda was formerly a physical education teacher also in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. James Verlinde of Frederic are the proud parents of a daughter, Amy Lynn, born on Aug. 25.

The first Harwood reunion was held Aug. 29, at the Hartwick Pines. President and secretary were Bill and Nancy Harwood. Elected to serve for next year were Jack and Jan Harney.

Helen Harwood took the prize for the oldest person present. Dawn Harwood, daughter of Minard and Linda Harwood, took the prize for the youngest.

Mr. and Mrs. Randy Thompson have returned to their studies in Mt. Pleasant after spending the summer here.

The first annual reunion of the Col-len family was held at Hartwick Pines on Sunday, Aug. 21, with 33 present. Coming from out of state to attend were Tillie and Owen Carlson and family of Florida, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Biddle and family of Indianapolis, IN.

The oldest person present was Ralph Col-len of Grayling, who is 82, and the youngest was Diane Biddle, six months, of Indianapolis.

The city of Grayling will host the 1971 Professional Archers Tournament Sept. 9-12.

The tournament site will be the parade ground at Camp Grayling, the summer home of the Michigan National Guard.

It is anticipated that over 200 archers will compete in the tournament. The event is being sponsored by the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce.

The Story Hour and Reading Club of the Crawford County Library ended on Aug. 1. Forty children attended and participated in both programs.

Jeff Prause, Sandy Marchywha, Laurie Freeman, Timmy Freeman, Brad MacLean, Aaron Robarge, Scott Zigala and David Zigala had perfect attendance.

Susan Prause, Doug MacLean and Doria Rettell completed their requirements in the reading program and each were awarded a book.

46 years ago

Sept. 2, 1948

Temperature last Wednesday afternoon was 97. Just a few more months and we will wish we had some of it.

The Grayling Independents nailed down the play-off championship to go along with their season championship when they downed Comins 18 to six at Mio last Sunday in the play-off finale.

The Grayling Lions Club were hosts at a farewell dinner at Vin's in Gaylord, Friday evening, for their president, Wm. Nawatny. Mr. and Mrs. Nawatny are moving to Battle Creek on Friday.

Miss Doris Marie Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown of Houghton Lake, became the bride of Richard Gildner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gildner of Grayling, in rites spoken at the Marky Christian Church on Aug. 7. Rev. Vanderly officiated at the single ring ceremony, which was spoken in a setting of candlelight, ferns and assorted flowers.

Those visiting at the Alfred Galloway farm this week were his

sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. George Bala and their grandson, Harold, of New York. It was a welcome surprise as it was the first Mr. Galloway had seen them since 1924. Of course the main attractions are the twin girls who are back at the farm. Friday night Frankie Galloway fell and broke his leg and is a patient at Mercy Hospital.

Rct. Charles G. Feldhauser, Star Route, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Feldhauser, is beginning the first phase of training under the new Army expansion program with the famed Second Armor Division at Camp Hood, TX.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Boss of Mason were recent weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hayes at "Summerhaze" down river. Their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. Grossman, and son, Preston, of Chelsey spent last weekend.

Miss Beatrice Gierke of Detroit, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Adam Gierke.

Guests at the Richard Williams cottage at Lake Margrethe are Mrs. Williams' brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Geissel of Los Angeles, her sister, Miss Bonnie Geissel, and Miss Barbara Volland of St. Louis, MO.

Roy Papenfus, Grayling, has recently purchased the registered Brown Swiss bull Imperial Friday, No. 90745 from Ed. C. Brehm, Tustin, according to a report from Fred S. Idtse, secretary of the Brown Swiss Cattle Breeders' Association, Weliot, WI.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bogie (Helen Parkinson) and children of Big Bay spend the weekend visiting Mr. and Mrs. Claude Parkinson, family and friends.

Judy Munsie has returned home from Litchfield where she spent her vacation with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adams.

Sue Giegling has returned home after spending a week with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Johnson in Hale.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Blanchard and children, Ginger and Billy, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hoelsi. Ginger remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Francis of Detroit were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Millikin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clough, daughter Barbara and son Kerry spent several days in Detroit last week. Miss Barbara remained for a longer visit.

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Following is a list of teachers engaged for the ensuing year. Cecile Harris, Marion, principal; Miss Winifred Harrod, Saginaw, math; Miss Dorothy Flanning, Detroit, English; Miss Beatrice Cotte, Rudyard, science and history; Miss Alice Harrison, Sault Ste. Marie, Latin and French; Miss Ruth Leonard, Gladwin, domestic science; J. K. Burnham, St. Louis, math and Phy. Ar.; Miss Sylvia Rothberger, Boyne City, commercial; Miss Ruth Cavanagh, Grand Rapids, Phy. Tr.; Miss Marion Salling, Grayling, music; Miss Martha Weir, West Branch, 6th grade; Miss Marguerite Thayer, Clare, 5th and 6th grade; Miss Dorothy Rydt, Frankfort, 5th grade; Miss Winifred McClean, Mancelona, 4th grade; Miss Joy Fouch, Gladwin, 4th grade; Miss Vella Burham, St. Louis, 3rd grade; Miss Mildred Bates, Grayling, 1st grade; Miss Mae Richardson, Roscommon, 1st grade; Miss Ruth Gregory, East Jordan, kindergarten; Mrs. Emma Gothro, Grayling, 2nd grade, county three grade, South Side; Miss Hazel Cassidy, Grayling, Sub. Pri., South Side.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pankow and children left Sunday for Detroit to visit relatives.

Miss Helga Jorgenson has resigned her position as clerk at the Peterson Grocery and has accepted a position at the telephone office.

Ray Clement and Clayton Comer of Detroit have been spending a few days at the Ben Yoder home and enjoying fishing.

A. E. Mason and family are enjoying a new Chrysler sedan.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gothro and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hendrick motored to the Upper Peninsula, Saturday.

Alex Jorgenson arrived Sunday morning from Detroit to visit indefinitely at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Jorgenson.

Mrs. David Malafant and daughters, Leone and Virginia, left yesterday for Detroit to visit her daughter, Mrs. Frank Owen.

Mrs. Charles Woodberry and children, Richard, Kathleen and Mary Lou, of Bay City are spending the week here visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Clara McLeod.

Mrs. Henry Stephan and Mrs. George Skingley and daughters, Virginia and Evelyn, returned Friday from a motor trip to Detroit and other places.

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Financial obligations are weighing your down. Turn to expert for advice. Changes may have to be made in your present lifestyle.

Be adventurous. Don't go with the tried and true. Show some initiative and be different from the rest. Be creative!

Your expectations are unrealistic. Consider more carefully your personal goals. Don't be too conservative, but be pragmatic.

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1994 quail hunting season cancelled

Department of Natural Resources Director Roland Harnes has ordered the cancellation of the 1994 bobwhite quail season, in an effort to allow the declining quail population to return to normal levels.

The action was recommended by DNR Wildlife Division staff, who cited a 37 percent decline in the quail population since last year. Under Michigan law, the DNR Director has the authority to issue interim orders for the management of wild birds.

This decline in the quail population is attributed mainly to the harsh winter weather of last January and February, when deep snow and severe cold caused many of the birds to freeze to death. In addition, extreme cold causes

stress to the birds and is believed to lower their reproductive capacity for the following brood season.

Because quail populations have a tremendous ability to rebound, DNR Wildlife Division staff are optimistic about the potential for reinstatement of the 1995-96 hunting season, especially if this winter is a mild one.

"Next spring we hope to hear more bobwhite calls, indicating the population's recovery," John Urbain, DNR game bird specialist said.

Information on next year's bobwhite quail season will be published in the 1995-96 Michigan Hunting and Trapping Guide, which will be available next August.

Northern Michigan to receive more than \$37,000 in cooperative grants

More than \$37,000 in inland fisheries cooperative grants will go to projects in the 105th House District, Rep. Allen Lowe, R-Grayling, announced.

Administered by the Department of Natural Resources Fisheries Division, the program provides up to \$20,000 in individual matching grants to organizations seeking to enhance inland fishing opportunities. This year, 32 additional projects were approved.

Lowe said the following grants have been made to area projects:

*\$5,000 to address erosion from road ditches which follow into Porcupine Lake by stabilizing road right-of-way banks and constructing retention ponds. Sponsored by the Otsego County Road Commission.

*\$9,875 for road approach renovation at Hunt and Greasy creeks. This grant will assist in elevating stream crossing approaches to prevent sediment from reaching streams. Sponsored by the Montmorency Soil and Water Conservation District.

*\$5,500 for beaver dam removal on the Black River in an effort to rehabilitate the brook trout population.

Coffee League needs bowlers

Bowlers are needed for the Thursday Morning Coffee League. Call Sue Romain, 348-9888 or Terri Papendick at 348-5698.

National League meeting Sept. 1

The Thursday night National League will hold their meeting on September 1, at 7 p.m., at the Legion Lanes.

Sponsored by the Montmorency County Conservation Club.

*Grants of \$7,800, \$6,500 and \$2,700 for erosion control on the AuSable River. The funds will be used to reduce sedimentation through erosion control by rock riprap (layering of large rocks) and stream bank navigation. Sponsored by the Huron-Pines RC & D Council.

"These area groups deserve praise for their efforts to protect the environment and make proper use of our natural resources," Lowe said.

The 105th District lawmaker said 169 grants totalling more than \$1.5 million have been awarded to communities and groups throughout the state since the program began in 1987.

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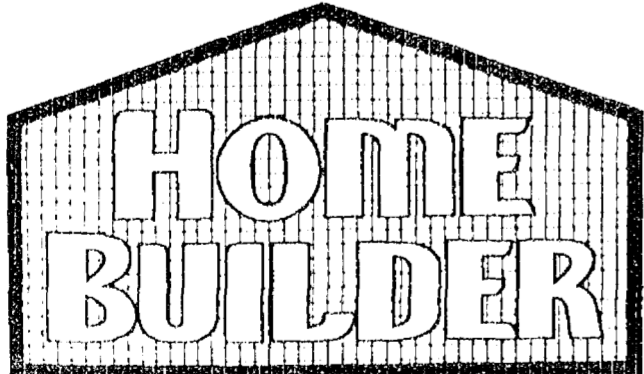
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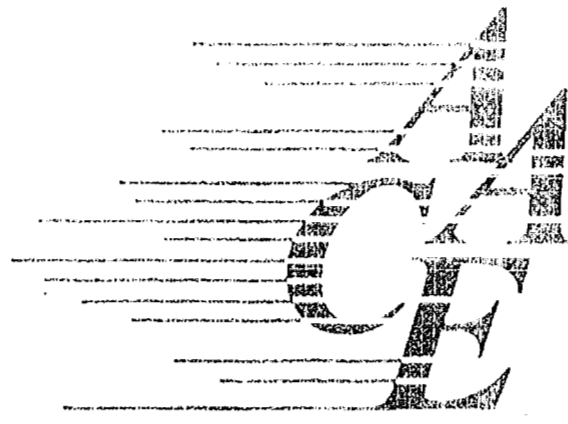
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Monday through Thursday, 5-9 p.m.

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September 12th, at G.H.S. Community Education Office
5-9 pm

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Section C - Crawford County Avalanche

Thursday, September 1, 1994



THANKS—Several persons were honored during the annual luncheon for the Crawford County Chapter of the American Red Cross held recently at the Grayling Holiday Inn. (Above) Amy LaGrow, sales representative for the Holiday Inn, accepts an award from Kevin Dowd, director of Donor Resources for the Wolverine Region, for their efforts in sponsoring a blood drive on July 6th at the American Legion. Pictured center is MaryAnn Bloomquist, chair of the local Red Cross Chapter. (Right) Chuck Fick, left, is honored for donating a total of 18 gallons at local blood drives, a record for a Crawford County resident.



Avalanche staff writer honored

By Dennis Mansfield
Managing Editor

The ICMA — International City/Council Management Association — recently announced the Avalanche's Terry Wright as the winner of its 1994 Local Journalism Award.

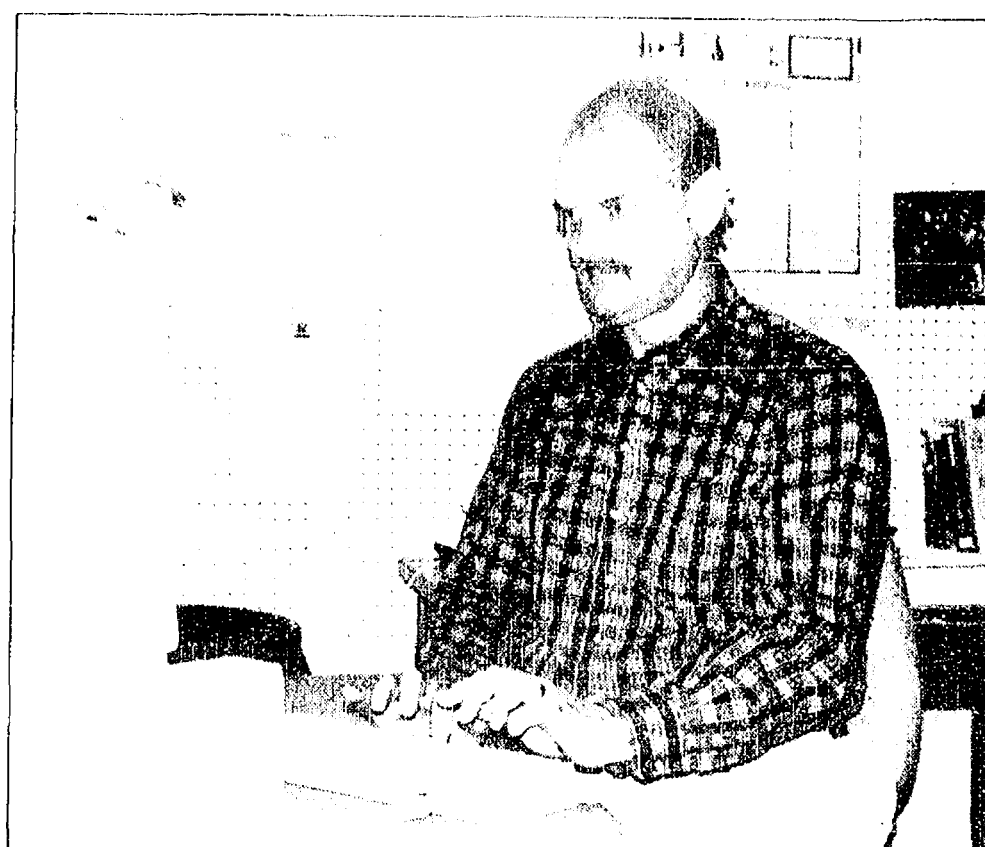
Wright, a staff writer for the Grayling-based newspaper, was honored for a story titled, *City Manager Morford envisioned potential in Grayling*, which was published in the June 10, 1993, edition of the Avalanche. The story outlined the 21-year career of Grayling City Manager Jerry Morford and changes in the city since he was hired by the Grayling City Council in 1972.

"I think it's fantastic he won," said Morford, who nominated Wright for the award. "The object, of course, was to raise the awareness of local news media about the city management form of government."

"Terry has demonstrated a great understanding of the city management form of government, at least in one town," Morford added.

Wright, a free-lance writer for the Avalanche in 1992, has been a full-time staff writer for the Grayling newspaper since January 1993.

"I'm very honored," Wright said. "I



WINNING WRITER—The Avalanche's own Terry Wright was recently notified he was the winner of the ICMA 1994 journalism award.

was surprised that I won.

"It was an easy story to write because Jerry Morford has done such a great job with the taxpayers dollars," he added.

Wright will be honored during the ICMA 1994 Luncheon in Chicago on

Tuesday, Sept. 20, while also being awarded a \$1,500 cash prize for his efforts.

Wright, 46, is a life-long resident of Crawford County. He currently resides in Grayling with his wife, Linda, and their 15-year-old son, Joel.

Insurance agency gets new name, home

The former Sorenson Insurance Agency now has a new name and home.

The insurance agency was located on M-72 West, in offices which included Century 21 River Country Real Estate. The renamed office — Jansen Insurance Agency and Associates Inc. — is located now in the Grayling Mini-Mall on the I-75 Business Loop.

"Randy Thompson (owner/broker

Century 21) needed more room, I needed more room," said Dave Jansen, a certified insurance counselor. "I thought with the move, the name change was appropriate."

"I've owned the agency since 1982," he added. "Joyce Sorenson was the original owner for 30 years and retired earlier this year."

Jansen Insurance is an independent agency, offering insurance policies

from Hastings, Frankenmuth and TransAmerican, along with several others, according to the owner.

Besides Jansen, the 3-person team at the office includes Cathy Shingledecker, a licensed insurance agency specializing in antique cars, boats and airplanes, and customer service representative, Gail Myer.

To contact the Jansen Agency, persons may call (517) 348-6711.

Community coalition works to support \$8.5-million project at Camp Grayling

By Terry Wright
Staff Writer

"Please be advised that the Crawford County Board of Commissioners has gone on record to initiate a coalition of other governmental, civic and business groups as well as individuals to do whatever needs to be done to balance the needs of the military and the citizens of this community."

So reads the first paragraph of a letter from Commission Chairman Dennis Long to Camp Grayling Commander Col. Owen Moon, dated Aug. 11.

The letter, and the formation of a coalition to support the military, are the result of a lawsuit filed in U.S. District Court by the AuSable-Manistee Action Council (AMAC) and its ongoing highway billboard publicity campaign claiming that Camp Grayling is polluted.

AMAC is alleging violations of the National Environmental Policy Act by the military at Camp Grayling and has asked that plans for construction of a Multi-Purpose Range Complex-Heavy (MPRC) on Camp Grayling's

Range-30 be delayed until the court can rule on the matter, and until a revised environmental impact statement (EIS) of Range-30 is drafted.

The lawsuit threatens to cancel the project if a resolution can not be found before the Sept. 30 deadline for the \$8.5-million federal expenditure.

In a secondary legal action on Friday, Aug. 19, AMAC, through its attorneys, requested immediate injunctive relief from further progress on the MPRC until its prior lawsuit is heard. That request is scheduled to be heard in U.S. District Court on Thursday, Sept. 22, in Lansing.

The coalition, formed by Long, has brought civic, business and political leaders together in support of the MPRC.

At its first meeting on Tuesday, Aug. 4, Long had asked for letters of support for the MPRC project from community-wide organizations.

At its most recent meeting on Wednesday, Aug. 24, Long said he had received many letters of support, which had been forwarded to the Michigan Attorney General.

"We recently attended a meeting

with members of AMAC," Long said. "The good news is that the billboards are coming down. Members of AMAC feel the billboards have met their objectives. Other than that, there was no point of compromise."

"They say they want to bring the Michigan National Guard back to control," Long added.

Col. Tom Emery of the Judge Advocate General's office and a member of the Michigan Attorney General's staff addressed the group at the recent meeting.

"AMAC can only attack the process by saying we didn't follow the right procedures," Emery said. "The pertinent environmental issues have been analyzed and mitigated within the standards of federal law."

Emery said the purpose of the injunction is to stop the status quo of the MPRC project until the case can be resolved on its merits.

"The bottom line is that a hearing is scheduled Sept. 22 on the preliminary injunction to stop the forward motion of completion of the MPRC," he added. "The money expires on Sept. 30. Maintaining the status quo is the crucial point. If the court issues an injunction, the money goes and the project goes."

A Department of Military Affairs Attorney, Maj. Doug Colbert, also in attendance said, "For an injunction to be granted, they must prove they may prevail in their lawsuit, that the injunction is in the public interest, and that irreparable harm may occur if the project continues."

Colbert said the federal government will have a major role in defending the lawsuit. He said a federal attorney from the Department of Justice has been appointed to the case.

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Avalanche sets early deadlines for Labor Day

The Crawford County Avalanche will be closed Monday, Sept. 5, for Labor Day, and reopen at 9 a.m. Tuesday, Sept. 6. The deadline for full page, half page, or color display ads, for the Sept. 8th issue, must be turned in by noon, Thursday, Sept. 1st. The deadline for all display ads smaller than a half page is 5 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 1st. Letters to the Editor and photographs must be turned in by noon Friday, Sept. 2nd, to be considered for the next issue. Community news items and classified display ads must be turned in by noon Friday, Sept. 2nd. Classified ads by the word must be turned in by noon Tuesday, Sept. 6th, and have to be paid in advance or they will not be published.



NEW HOME—Dave Jansen and his wife, Elaine (front center), along with the staff of the relocated Jansen Insurance Agency and others, recently gathered to celebrate the new home of the former Sorenson Insurance Agency at the Grayling Mini-Mall.

New business helps car buyers

For many people, buying a used car can be a time of confusion and even frustration.

Jim Hilbrecht of Grayling is looking to make buying a used car a little easier. Hilbrecht just recently open his own new business — Independent Auto Inspection — on Aug. 15.

A certified master mechanic and contract service instructor for General Motors, looking underneath the hood is nothing new for Hilbrecht. He also has a bachelor's degree from Northern Michigan University.

Hilbrecht, for a price, is now using his talents to help potential buyers of used vehicles know what they're getting, inspecting the entire car. And this is a mobile service.

"I'll come to the customer," he said. "More importantly, I'll go to the car. If a person from Grayling is buying a car in Gaylord, I'll go to Gaylord to inspect the vehicle. Then I'll call them with the results of the inspection."

Hilbrecht said he provides the customer with a check list of what is right and wrong with the car. But he isn't



Jim Hilbrecht, Independent Auto Inspection

looking to create more work for himself. Hilbrecht said he will not be doing any repair work, just the inspection.

"The advantage I have over someone else is I'm not going to be biased," he said. "A lot of people don't know

what to do when looking at a used car."

For more information or to make an appointment, persons may contact Hilbrecht at (517) 348-4381, 348-7877 or 1-800-497-9551.



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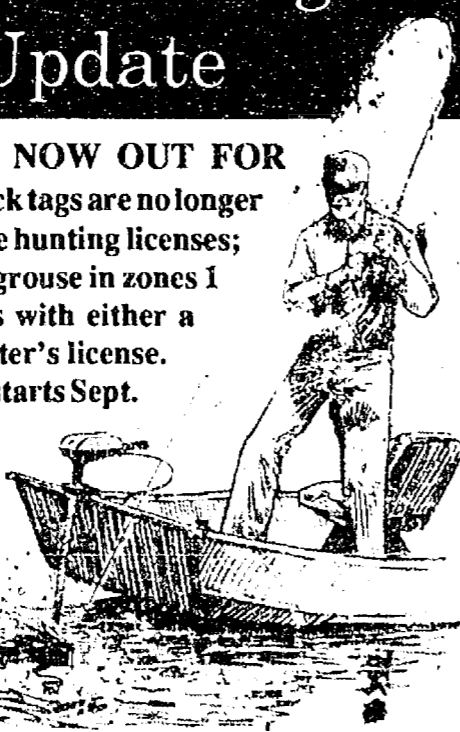
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Hunting & Fishing Weekly Update

THE GAME RULES ARE NOW OUT FOR 1994-- Some of the changes are: back tags are no longer issued with big-game or small-game hunting licenses; the bag limit is now three roughed grouse in zones 1 and 3; you may now hunt coyotes with either a small game license, or a fur harvester's license. Don't forget the early goose season starts Sept. 1.

Did you know 1994 is Michigan's 100th licensed deer season. The first deer season in Michigan was in 1895, and was from Nov. 1 to Nov. 25. A resident license cost 50 cents and a non-resident license cost \$25.



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AMERICAN INSTITUTE FOR CANCER RESEARCH

By Cathy Seigerman

Nutrition needs do change after age 50

Turning age 50 is hardly the sign of old age that it used to be. At age 50, more Americans than ever are at the prime of their lives and careers, and more physically fit as well. But feeling just as vigorous as you did 10 years ago doesn't mean your nutrition needs aren't changing. To keep the good health that helps you stay active throughout your life, it's important to know what these needs are.

Health authorities like the American Institute for Cancer Research recommend a low-fat diet for all Americans. But eating less fat has special benefits for people over age 50. Most of us know that eating less saturated fat (mainly found in meat and dairy products) lowers blood cholesterol and lowers risk for heart disease, diabetes and certain types of cancer. All types of fat, including polyunsaturated vegetable oils and margarine, are very high in calories (about 100 calories per tablespoon). Since the amount of calories we burn decreases as we age, and because we tend to keep more body fat and lose more muscle over the years, cutting

fat to less than 30 percent of daily calories is especially important if you're over 50.

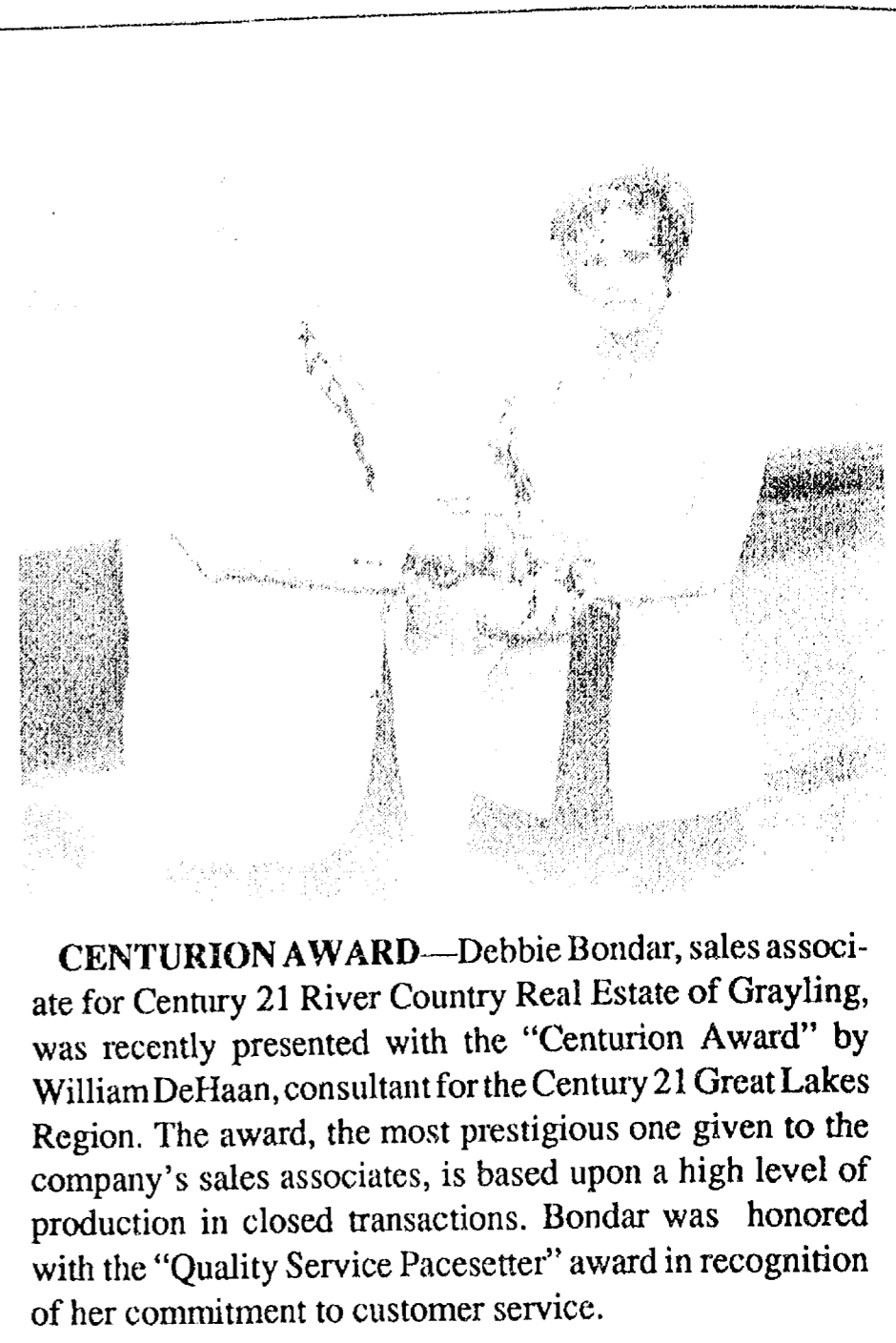
At the same time, older adults need more fiber, vitamins and minerals for healthy bones, immunity, and proper digestion. The best sources for these nutrients are fruits, vegetables and grains, which supply combinations of nutrients and other substances better than supplements do. Surveys have shown that the diets of many older adults are seriously deficient in vitamins and minerals.

Choosing low-fat meat and low-fat dairy products is another key to good nutrition for older Americans. Some essential minerals, including iron, zinc, and calcium, are mainly found in meat and dairy products. Choosing skim or part-skim milk and cheese, and small portions of lean meats, fish and skinless poultry can supply these minerals without adding too much fat — especially if you use cooking techniques such as broiling, steaming, and baking that don't require adding oil, butter or other fats. Protein, which most Americans get from meat and dairy products, should only total 12 to 15 percent of older adults' diets, unless a doctor recommends otherwise.

Older people who live alone can share the goal of making mealtimes more nutritious and more fun by taking turns with a friend to plan and host meals, or to eat out together once a week or more. While cooking and grocery shopping for just one or two can pose a number of dilemmas, there are tricks that can make things easier. For example, buying large bags of frozen vegetables can make eating more vegetables easier, since you can cook just what you need and store the rest.

Card of thanks

The Animal Shelter of Crawford County and Concerned Citizens for Animals would like to thank Linda Sprague for the things she has done for us. Linda came up with the idea for the Walk-a-thon, the animal shelter's largest money maker each year. She has also given her time to teach obedience classes for us for several years. Unfortunately, Linda is too busy to do either this year. We hope next spring she'll have more time and we'd be pleased if she considered sharing it with us again. Thanks again Linda!



CENTURION AWARD—Debbie Bondar, sales associate for Century 21 River Country Real Estate of Grayling, was recently presented with the "Centurion Award" by William DeHaan, consultant for the Century 21 Great Lakes Region. The award, the most prestigious one given to the company's sales associates, is based upon a high level of production in closed transactions. Bondar was honored with the "Quality Service Pacesetter" award in recognition of her commitment to customer service.

KIRTLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE NEWS

Daniel Lyons, a writer from the Ann Arbor area, will be reading from his collection of short stories, *The Last Good Man*, on Wednesday, Sept. 7, at 8 p.m. in the Kirtland Community College Continuing Education Center (on College Drive). *The Last Good Man*, which won the Associated Writing Programs award for short fiction in 1992, is a collection of stories that take place in a fictional New

England town, small and outside of Boston, and the interconnected yet solitary lives of the people who live there. Each story gives us another segment of a diverse society coping with the stress and exuberance of living in America today, and their characters are rich in texture, diversity and personality. What Daniel Lyons captures in this collection is an America on the brink of joy and sorrow, of hardship and reward, of failure and redemption.

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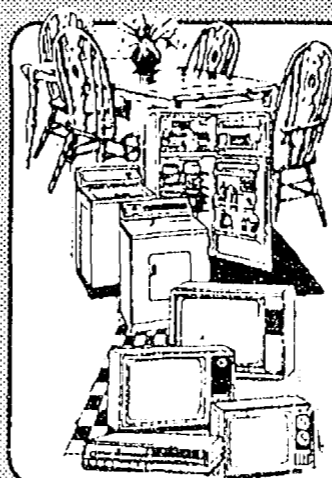
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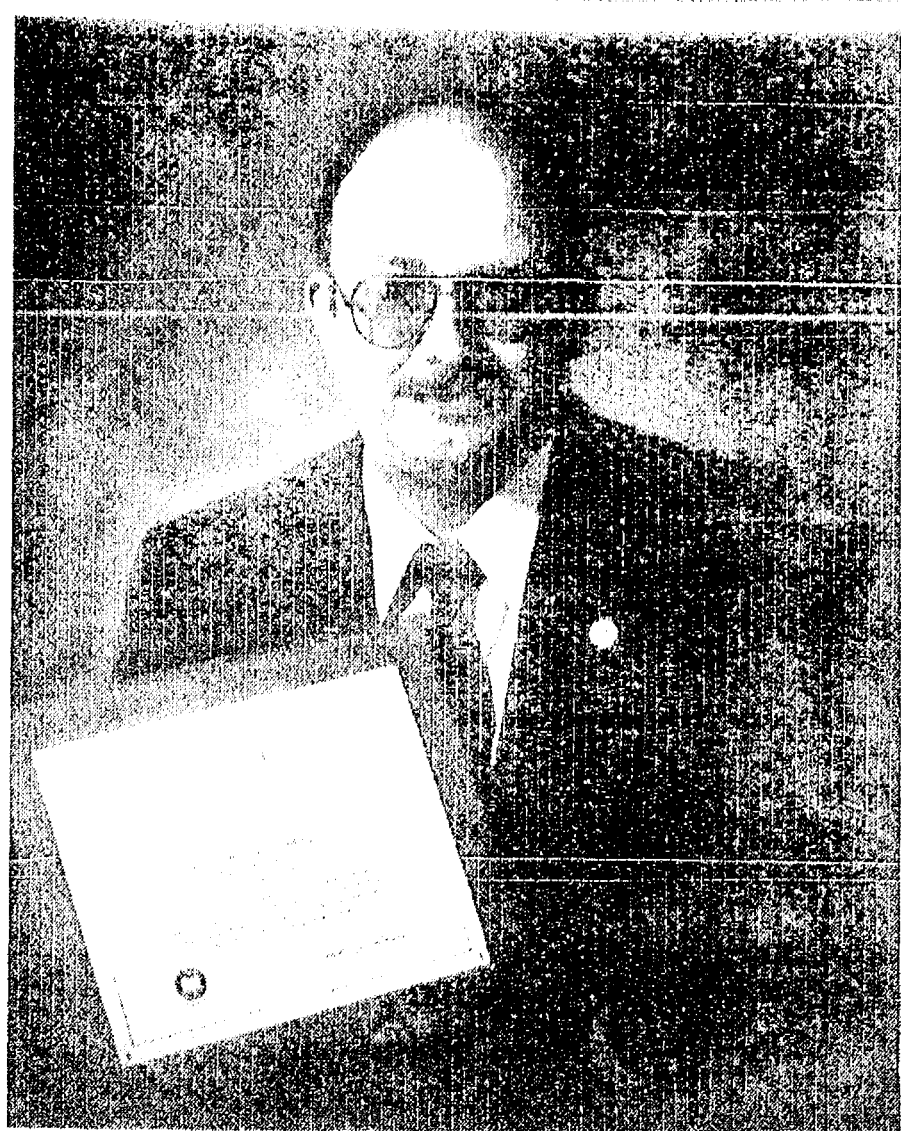
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LISTED IN WHO'S WHO--David James Pomeroy, a youth group leader with the Michigan Department of Social Services has been honored for his work in human services by being listed in "Who's Who in the Midwest." Pomeroy, a resident of Grayling, currently works at the Shawono Center youth detention center. Pomeroy is a specialist in sex victim and sex offender treatment groups.

Gas station ready to serve next generation of vehicles

Consumers Power Company has signed agreements with four companies to provide compressed natural gas (CNG) for vehicles at five public gasoline service stations, three in the Lansing area and one each in Flint and Wixom.

Expected to be operational late this fall, the CNG option at the stations will greatly enhance the alternative fueling infrastructure by increasing the total number of public service stations in Michigan offering CNG to 16. Consumers Power is currently looking for three additional sites to provide CNG service in Jackson, Kalamazoo and northeast metro Detroit.

The public service stations partnering with Consumers Power to provide CNG service are: Windmill Truck Stop Inc., 7262 Lansing Rd., Dimondale; Superstop, 6825 South Cedar, Lansing; Superstop, 601 W. Saginaw, Lansing; Amoco, G-3509 S. Dort Highway, Burton; and Shell at I-96 and Wixom Rd., Wixom.

"The addition of these five CNG fueling stations underscores Consumers Power's commitment to further the progress for a statewide infrastructure that will make this valuable transportation fuel more widely available to Michigan motorists," said Vance Anderson, the utility's director of natural gas vehicle programs. "We want to help break the 'chicken and egg' stalemate of what will come first -- the vehicles or the fueling infrastructure."

Several models of natural gas vehicles are currently being produced by the Big Three automakers and many more are planned for the 1995 model year. As an incentive to promote the natural gas vehicle industry, the federal government offers an individual tax deduction for buying or converting vehicles to run on CNG -- \$2,000 for vehicles under 10,000 pounds gross vehicle weight, and up to \$50,000 for large vehicles, such as a transit bus or refuse hauler.

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Currently CNG sells at retail for between 70 and 90 cents per gasoline gallon equivalent. Natural gas offers a competitive economical advantage.

Natural gas vehicles help to curb America's dependence on foreign oil because more than 90 percent of natural gas used domestically comes from the 48 contiguous states and Canada. Converting one million gas-powered vehicles to natural gas would reduce foreign oil consumption by 80,000-90,000 barrels a day.

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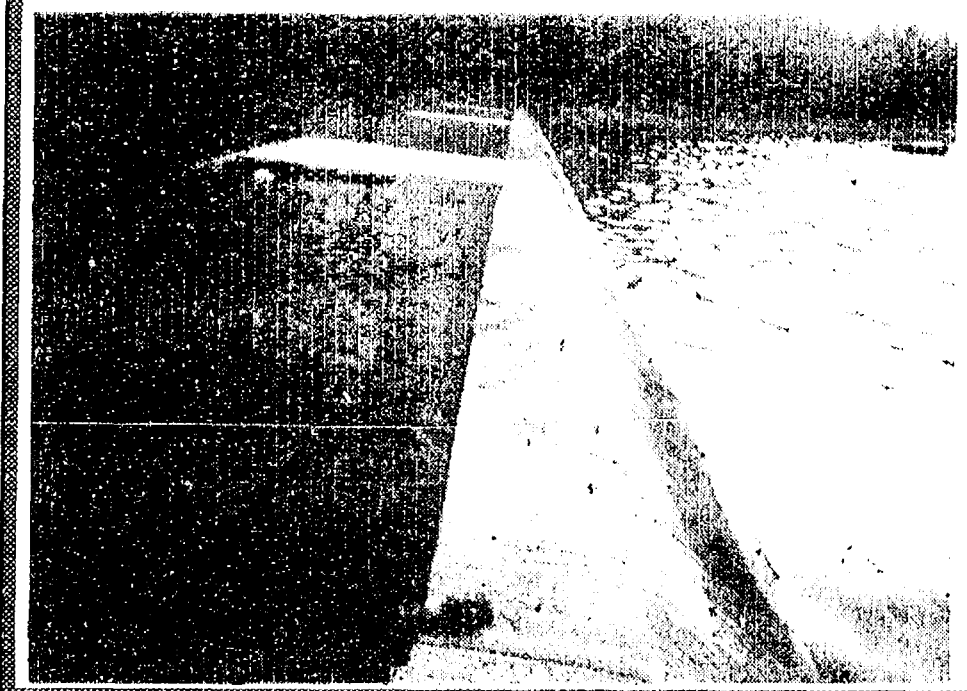
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FREDERIC LIBRARY NEWS

The Fredric Community Library had a very successful summer reading program this year. We had 34 children signed up all together. We will be having a summer reading program year-end party on Tuesday, Sept. 13, from 4:15 until 5:30. This party is for everyone who participated in the summer reading program. We will be sending invitations to those people.

The film and activity program went well this year, also. We had 37 different children show up throughout the nine weeks in which we had the program. I would like to thank Jean Rosin and the other moms who helped me with the program.

Florence Jenkins donated the book *Practical Gardening* by Peter McHoy, to the library, in memory of Ervin Allen Ray and Violet Delorous Ray Craft.

New books we have recently received are: *Accident and The Gift*, both by Danielle Steel; *The Day After Tomorrow* by Allan Folsom; *Walking Shadow* by Robert B. Parker; *Having Our Say* by The Delany Sisters and Amy Hill Hearth; *The Crossing* by Cormac McCarthy; *The PDR Family Guide to Prescription Drugs*; *Fall From Grace* by Andrew M. Greeley; *Where Shadows Go* by Eugena Price; *Star Flight* by Phyllis A. Whitney; *Houses of Stone* by Barbara Michaels; *On Dangerous Ground* by Jack Higgins; *The Fist of God* by Frederick Forsyth; *Family Blessings* by Lavyrlle Spencer; *Lovers* by Judith Krantz; *Bad Love* by Jonathan Kellerman; *Circumstances Unknown* by Jonellen Heckler; *You Wouldn't Believe What My Grandchild Did* by Lois Wyse; *The Lion King* by Gina Ingoglia (donated by Kenneth and Merna Newberry); 18 young adult books by R. L. Stine; *The Magic School Bus* by Joanna Cole, and *Arthur's Chicken Pox* by Marc Brown.

The Fredric Library has videos for rental for one week with a \$2

refundable deposit. We also have *Hooked On Phonics* available to rent for one week with a \$10 refundable deposit, or you may use the Phonics at the library.

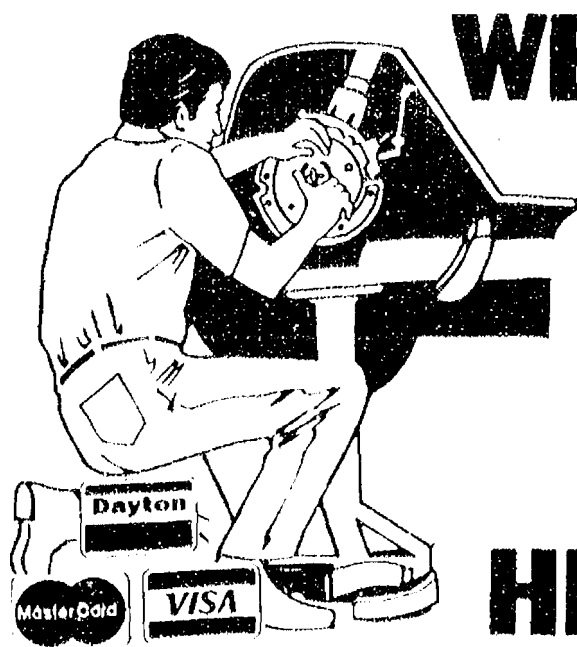
If you would like to donate to a memorial, please send donations to the Fredric Community Library, P.O. Box 353, Frederic, MI 49733. To have a person's name placed on the memorial plaque, a donation of \$25 or more, from one or more donors is requested. The purchase of a memorial book may be made for a minimum contribution of \$10. You are welcome to suggest a subject area. If you need more information, call the library at 348-4067, or stop in and visit the library. We are open Monday through Thursday, 1 to 6 p.m.

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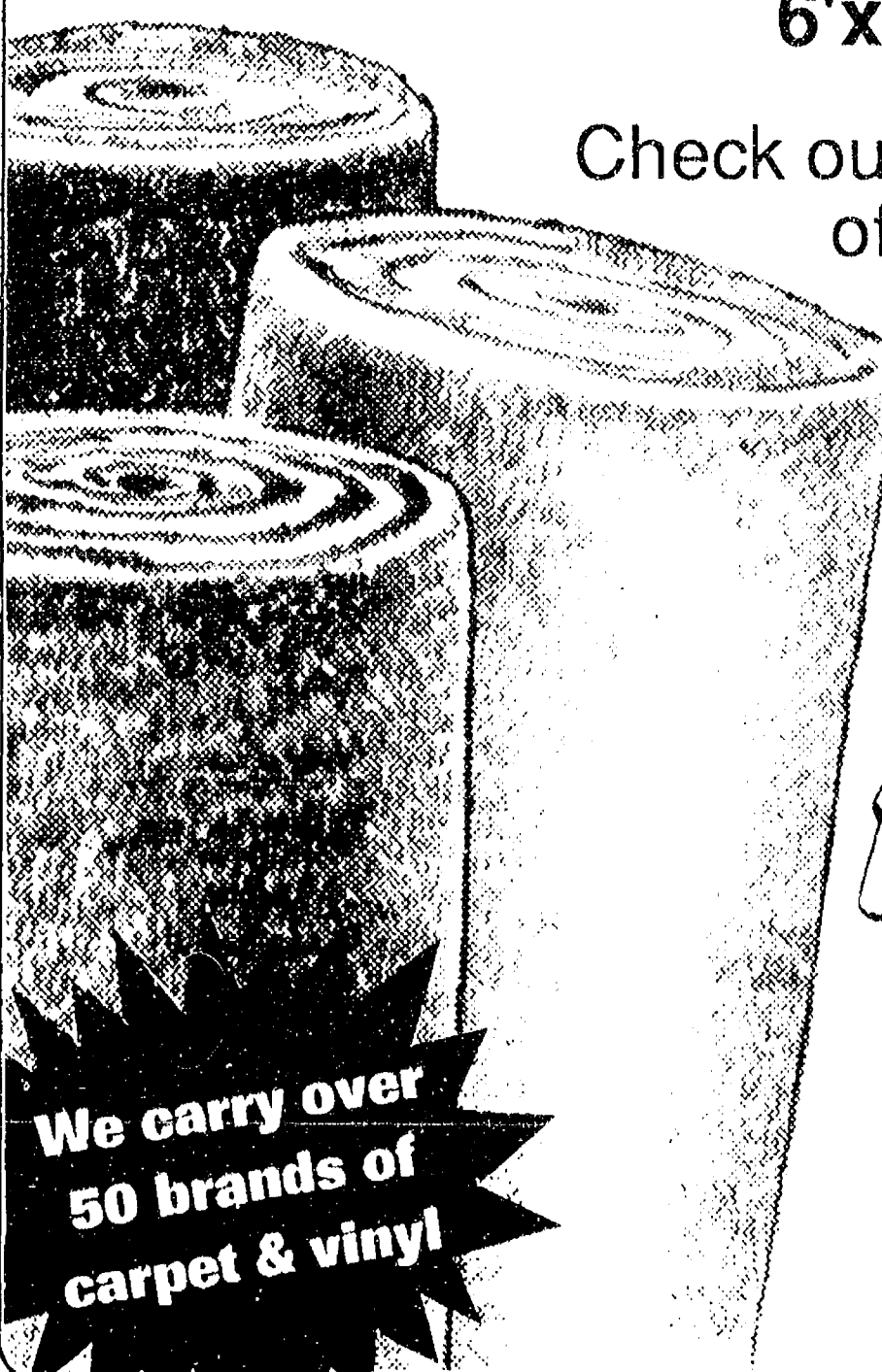
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Coalition looks to support project at Camp Grayling

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Further action discussed by the coalition committee could include the filing of an "amicus curiae," which is a legal brief filed by a party not named in the suit, but who may wish to volunteer information or support the position of one who is named in the suit.

Long asked the coalition to adjourn the meeting, but to authorize a steering committee to discuss the case further with Crawford County Assistant Attorney David Sabin, in his offices.

"We should conclude our meeting," Long said, "so the court doesn't believe we are using the media to influence the case."

Long asked coalition members Keith Kenny, Art Thayer, John Commin and Ron Fraser to comprise the steering committee.

"After they meet with Mr. Sabin," Long said, "then they can come back to us."

Although members of AMAC were not present at the meeting, Bill Mallory, secretary/treasurer of the group said, "In our meeting with Long, we spent a couple hours talking about who we are, what we're about, and what our concerns are. We had a good exchange of views, but after a couple hours it was apparent Long was correct, neither side was willing to compromise."

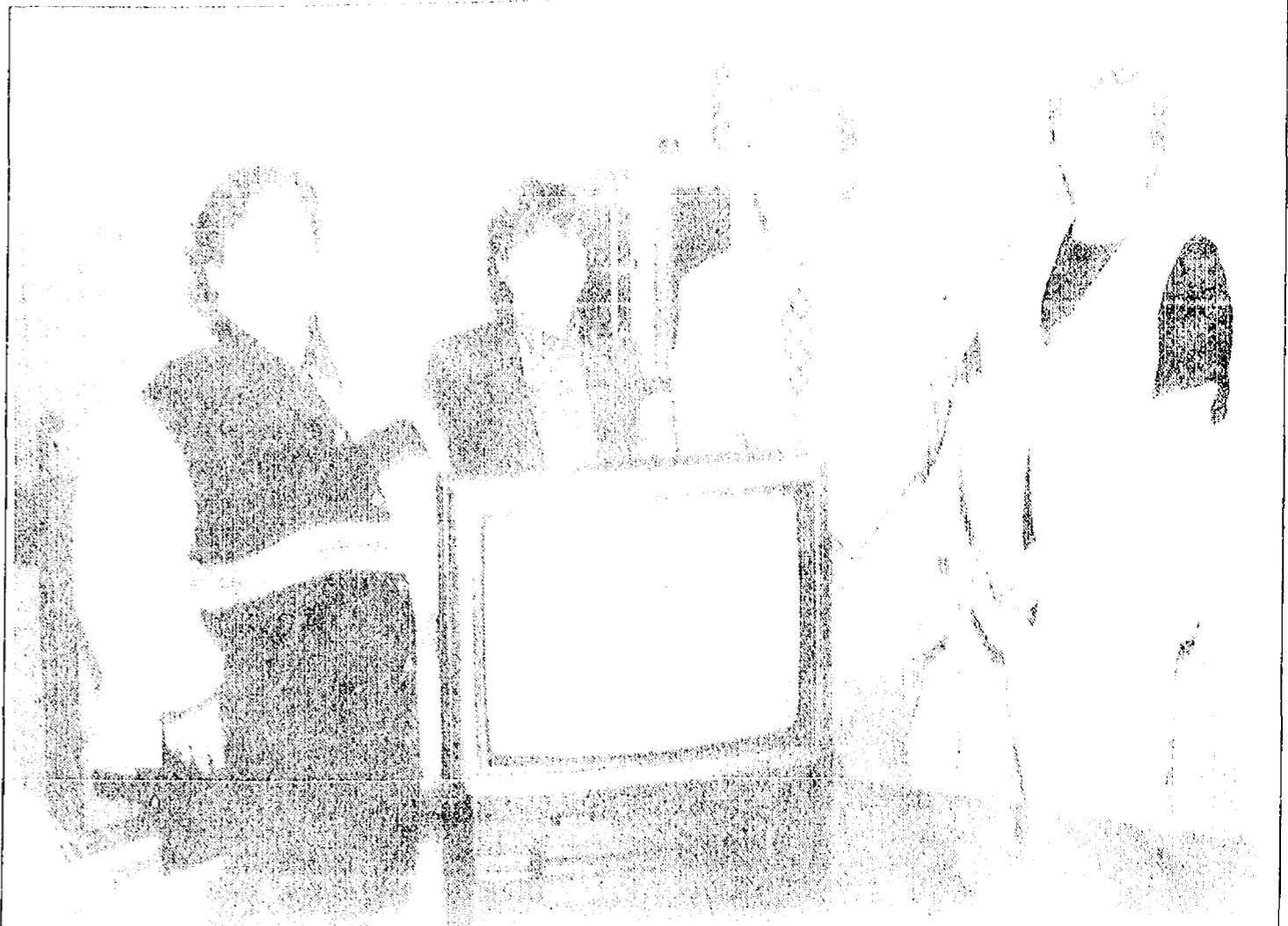
Concerning Long's point on the use of the media, Mallory said, "From my perspective, it seems like some weeks there is pretty good coverage both ways and some weeks there isn't."

"It's good to get the issues out in the open," he said. "But from my perspective, it looks like the military is ahead on points."

"As far as the injunction is concerned, I don't know if it will be granted," Mallory added.

He reiterated the point that the position of AMAC has not been to shut Camp Grayling down.

"We just want them to do the environmentally correct thing," he said.



EAGLES AUXILIARY DONATES TO PROBATE COURT PROGRAM--The Grayling Eagles Club Auxiliary recently purchased a new color television set for the Crawford County Probate Court hold-over room. The room serves as an emergency situation, non-secure detention area for youth within the Probate Court system. Pictured (L to R) are Eagles Auxiliary Chaplain Vicki Lewis, Probate Register Penny Shepherd, Probate Judge John Hunter and Eagles Auxiliary President Marcia Rozycki.

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The "Private School" plan is designed for parents who have less time

to volunteer, but who still want their child to experience the joys of preschool.

The "Super Co-op" plan is for parents who have more volunteer time available and who are willing to share it with their children. Variable tuition plans are available for both of the new programs.

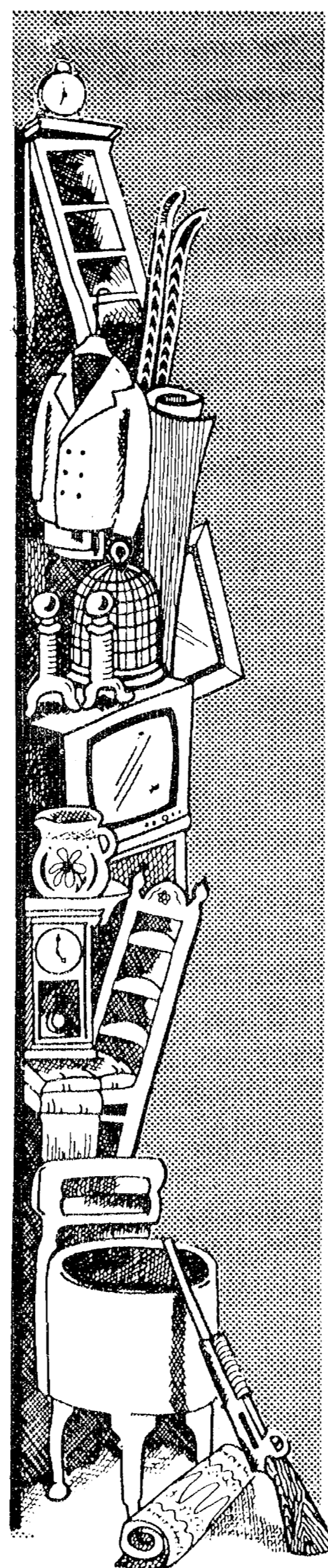
The Grayling Co-op is still taking late registrations, with the program just starting on Aug. 30th.

Programs for children four years of age are scheduled Monday, Wednesday and Friday, and Tuesday and Thursday for 3-year olds from 8:45 a.m. to 11 a.m. Four-year olds may also attend sessions from 12:30 p.m. to 2:45 p.m.

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CRAWFORD COUNTY LIBRARY NEWS

"Reading is a Magic Trip" summer reading program was a success at the Crawford County libraries with over 200 children reading and earning incentives from McDonald's of Grayling.

"Ice Cream and Me" readers earned 614 sundaes from Dairy Queen of Grayling.

Lovell's Township summer program was enhanced with the contributions made by Mr. and Mrs. Van Guilder, John Duby, Dee Haberland, Kate Gregg, Tammy Duby, Travis Hopp and Caid's.

The library will be closed Saturday, Sept. 3, and Monday, Sept. 5, due to the Labor Day holiday.

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KIRTLAND COMMUNITY COLLEGE NEWS

Kirtland Community College will be offering an "OSHA Confined Space Regulation Enforcement" Teleconference on Wednesday, Sept. 14. The conference will be broadcast from 1 to 3:30 p.m. in the college's Continuing Education Center.

OSHA's standard for confined space contains the requirements for practices and procedures to protect employees in general industry from hazards of entry into permit-required confined spaces. This teleconference will help take the mystery out of confined space compliance with authoritative insight from the OSHA personnel responsible for training the compliance and consultation staff in their enforcement of the regulation.

This program will provide information concerning OSHA's position on: permit-required confined space definition; how other federal regulations relate to regulation 1910.146; alternative procedures when hazards are controlled by ventilation; reclassification of a permit-required confined space to a non-permit space; program requirements and record keeping; and, rescue requirements.

Cost of this seminar is \$39 per person. It will be of interest to industrial safety officers, safety professionals, health and safety trainers, municipal utility workers, fire rescue personnel, managers of employees who enter confined spaces, and anyone dealing with OSHA regulations.

For further information or to register contact Kirtland's Community Services office at 517-275-5121, extension 210.

Office personnel and support staff

from around the area will be interested in a teleconference being offered at Kirtland Community College in September.

"AMA's Technology Conference for Secretaries and Administrative Assistants" will be broadcast on Wednesday, Sept. 21, from noon until 3 p.m. This teleconference will help support staff use technology to increase individual and organizational effectiveness and to improve bottom line results. Participants will gain an overall perspective on the impact and benefit of technology on their jobs and their organizations. They will also learn some key ways to assess new technology developments that impact their daily performance.

Cost for this 3-hour conference is \$39 per person, which includes lunch and materials. For further information or to register, call Kirtland's Community Services office at 517-275-5121, extension 210.

"Introduction to MS-DOS" will be offered at Kirtland Community College on Friday, Sept. 23, from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. The course will be repeated again on Friday, Sept. 30.

This 6-hour, community services course will introduce you to the MS-DOS operating system. You will learn what goes on inside the computer besides just running an application program. A reference manual will be supplied for future reference.

Cost for either session is \$42 per person, which includes materials. For further information or to register call Kirtland's Community Services office at 517-275-5121, extension 210.

RSVP HAPPENINGS

By Gloria Mologianes

I want to thank everyone that showed up on Friday for the sign-up for the MIC and Senior food program. It was a wonderful turnout. I especially want to thank Dianne Cherette and Val Stone for all of their assistance in getting this up and rolling. We signed up approximately 130 people on Friday.

We are now working on getting a Ryder truck to go pick up the food in Roscommon on the 15th of September. The only way we have right now of coming up with the monies is through our Glen's green slip program, so if you have some green slips laying around that you are not sure what you want to do with, please bring them to

the Retired and Senior Volunteer Program office located in the Senior Center on Lawndale. We will need all of the help we can get on this one.

I now want to address all of the RSVP volunteers out there. I need help in the pick-up and distribution of the foods for this program. Each box weighs approximately 35 pounds. If you think you can give me a hand out to Hanson Hills unloading the truck or at the Senior Center in delivering the food to the seniors there, please give me a call at 348-4341. And a great big thank you to Dan Wyers at Hanson Hills for the use of the building to do this distribution. Your community thanks you!



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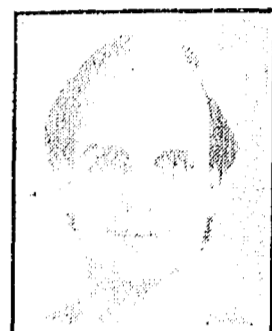
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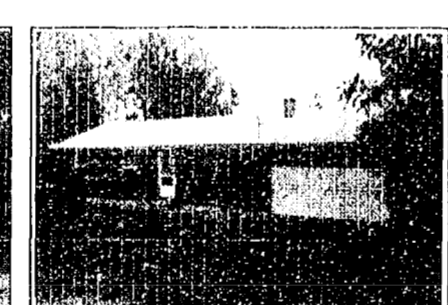
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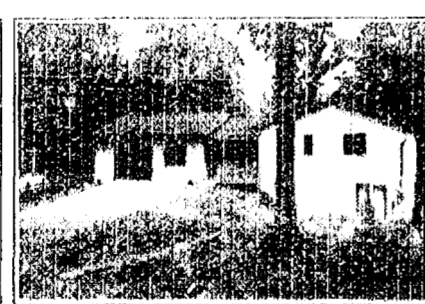
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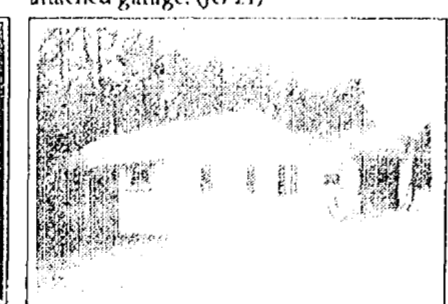
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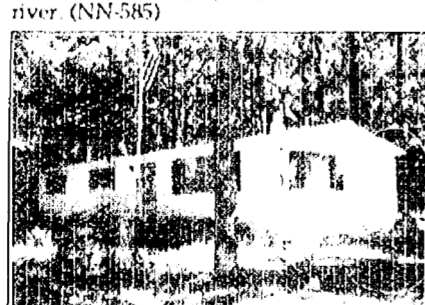
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Bids will be received in the business office of Kirtland Community College, 10775 North Saint Helen Road, Roscommon, Michigan, 48653, until 4 pm September 16, at which time they will be opened and publicly read. No bids will be received after 4 pm.

Instructions to Bidders:

1. Prints are available from KCC for \$5.00/set by calling Theresa Bicego at (517) 275-5121, ext. 266.
2. All bids are to be in a sealed envelope and marked **Child Care Entrance**.
3. The contract will be awarded by Sept. 20. Construction can begin after Oct. 1; the project must be completed by Nov. 1.
4. Proposals shall remain firm for a period of 30 days after the official bid opening.
5. Copies of Worker's Compensation and Liability Insurance must be submitted to the business office of Kirtland Community College prior to beginning work.
6. Each bidder shall provide at least two references where a project of this nature has been completed.
7. The college shall be the sole judge in the selection of the proposal and reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals.
8. Site may be inspected by appointment only during business hours. Call Rich Colvin, Physical Plant Director at Kirtland Community College (517) 275-5121, ext. 249.
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5. For Sale

APPLIANCES PARTS available at Jansen's Sales and Service, 501 Cedar Street. Call 348-5571. 6/25tf/5

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TWO SEARS PORTABLE SEWING MACHINES \$25 each; hide-a-bed sofa, brown floral velvet, \$35; kitchen cupboards, \$25; van bench seat, \$15. 348-6350. -1/5

JOHNSON, 28 H.P. MOTOR with power tilt. Excellent condition, very low hours, \$1,700. Call 348-9116. 9/1/94tf/5

FOR SALE: FULL-SIZE GAS RANGE, white, needs three grates, works good, \$40; baby bed, needs painting, \$20; high chair, \$10; baby swing, \$7; wooden coffee table, \$20; two car seats. Call 348-8265 after 5:30 p.m. Please don't call after 10 p.m. 9/1/94tf/5

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FOR SALE: ANTIQUE BUFFET Excellent condition, \$50; six foot picnic table, \$20; gas grill, \$15; free dresser. 2146 Viking Way, 348-7143. -1-8-15/5

BUNK BEDS Solid wood, good condition, bunk boards but no mattresses, \$40/best. Call 348-1138. -1/5

AMANA REFRIGERATOR Almond, 22 cu. ft., \$400. Stove, Magic Chef, almond, \$225. Both 2-3 years old. 348-4395. -1/5

FRIGIDAIRE ELECTRIC DRYER Large capacity, \$85; Speed Queen wringer/washer, stainless steel tub, \$35. Call 348-8336. 9/1/94tf/5

6. Wanted

WANTED: SMALL INVESTORS to invest in proposed new Crawford County newspaper. Write C.E.A.A.G., P.O. Box 1133, Grayling, MI. -1/6

WANTED: PEOPLE AND PLEDGES for the animal shelter's third annual walk-a-thon. Phone 348-4117. The animals need your help. -25-1/6

WANTED: USED MICRO FICHE Call 348-1179 or 348-2270. -25-1/6

INDOOR FLEA MARKET Vendors wanted. Call (517) 348-6366. 4/28/94tf/6

7. Miscellaneous

TRUCK CAPS, Runningboards and truck accessories. Milltown Motors, 348-7352 or 348-5222. 1/14/93tf/7

WE HAVE A NEW SUPPLY of reproduction Victorian prints (framed or unframed). South Branch Antiques, 7901 E. M-72, 348-2514. -1/7

REWARD: COCKATIEL BIRD, yellow and grey, answers to "Pretty". Very friendly. Was spotted on AuSable Trail. Any information greatly appreciated even if bird is dead. Please call 348-5133. -1-8/7

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2. Give them your name, address, phone number.
3. Nature of violation e.g. littering, indecent exposure, trespass, disorderly.
4. Identify canoe by livery name, MC number.
5. Identify occupants of canoe, clothing, hair color.
6. Sign a complaint with sheriff's office.

The AuSable River Property Owners Association, The George Mason Trout Unlimited Chapter, The anglers of the AuSable, and the Grayling Canoe Livers have committed over \$21,000 during the past three years to provide you with Sheriff's Deputies. -18

9. Personals

Happy 40th August 31st



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Congratulations You've made it a year! On August 28th Your friends & Family

10. Garage Sales

WEDNESDAY

221 DALE North of North Down River Road. Wednesday, August 31 thru Monday, September 5, 10 a.m. - 6 p.m. Irish damask linen table cloths, bedspreads, sheets, blankets, rugs, curtains, drapes, radios, pots and pans, small appliances, portable baby bed, mirrors, telephones, flowers, vacuum sweeper, Turbo Spa for bathtub, baskets, dishes, knickknacks, Christmas tree, newsweekers, milk stool, Persian cape, beautiful designer clothing and lingerie, much, much more. Everything very, very clean. -1/10

THURSDAY

SEPTEMBER 1-3 Thursday-Saturday, 9-4. 214 Alexia Lane, Grayling Mobile Estates. Lots of goodies. -1/10

10. Garage Sales

GARAGE SALE: SEPT. 1-5 Lots of nice things all sizes, x-large-tall and etc., children's, kitchenwares. 790 Roberts Road. -1/10

FOUR FAMILIES Two miles north of 612 on Sherman Road. 9 a.m. - 5 p.m., Sept. 1, 2. -1/10

3293 MANISTEE RIVER ROAD Two families. Thursday, Friday, Saturday, 9-5. Bikes, tools, craft supplies, clothes. -1/10

HALF-PRICE SALE September 1st & 2nd, 9 to 5. 504 Chestnut. New things added. -1/10

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 1ST, 9-5 toys, kid's books, exercise equipment, bikes, etc. Borchers Way off Margrethe Drive (Grayling Ave.), follow signs. -1/100

10. Garage Sales

FRIDAY

927 AUSABLE TRAIL North of W. 72, September 2 & 3 only, 10 to 5. Attic fan (new); exhaust fan (new); seldom used hairsetter; dresser mirror (large); large chalkboard; four captains chairs-dark pine; lamp; dishes and misc. kitchen; pair oars; bowling ball, bag, shoes (ladies 9); books; sewing notions; two twin and one king bedspreads; handmade afghan; cat carrier; ice chest; three traverse rods-6' patio; hood-type hair dryer; toaster; three 6' roll-up blinds; and misc. stuff. -1/10

BIG GARAGE SALE Friday-Sunday. Something for everyone. 1/2 mile past Moose Lodge on Old-27. -1/10

TWO ARCTIC CAT SNOWMOBILES with trailer, good condition, 1,100 miles each; bikes; sled; microwave, housewares clothes. 7 2/10 miles east on M-72. September 2, 3, 4, 9-4. -1/10

SEPT. 2 TO SEPT. 5 Eight miles on E-72, corner of Horseshoe Trail. Tools, electrical, plumbing, household misc. Half-off sale. -1/10

GARAGE AND YARD SALE West North Down River Road. September 2, 3, 4, 10 a.m. - 8 p.m. -1/10

GARAGE AND CRAFT SALE Friday, Sept. 2 and Saturday, Sept. 3, from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. 1107 Ogemaw St. -1/10

501 LAKE Friday and Saturday, Sept 2 and 3, 9 a.m. Several families. -1/10

FRIDAY, SEPT. 2 - SUNDAY, SEPT. 4 Toys, clothes, household items, barrel stove, clay pots, books, fish supplies. Take M-72 West to McIntyres Landing. Take second road on right to Monroe St., third house on right. Follow the signs. -1/10

SEPTEMBER 2, 3, 4, 5, 8-6. Moving sale, Hunting and fishing equipment, Lapidary machines, and grit; air compressor; jig saw; hand saw; chain saw (Stihl); gas stove and bottle; grass trimmer; electric heater; 1/2 inch drill; fertilizer spreader; record player; heavy duty sander; oil filters; air filters; bug deflector; level; odds and ends; misc. snowmobile clothes and boots; clothes and caps; bearings; lights; two guns; archery equipment; TV stand; microwave; desk. John Durst, 2974 Creekview Dr., inside Warblers Hideaway. -1/10

FRIDAY, SATURDAY, SUNDAY, 9-4 Misc items. 213 Mikado St. -1/10

500 PENINSULAR AVE. Friday, Saturday, Monday, 9 to 4. -1/10

YARD AND PORCH SALE September 2-5, 9-7 Tools, fishing tackle, dishes, reclining chair, children's clothing, kitchen table, toys, baskets, vacuum cleaners, telescope, camera tri-pod, books, sports cards, etc. Nine miles east on North Down River Road. -1/10

THREE FAMILY YARD SALE Mink jacket, new sewing machine, many household items. All clean and reasonable. September 2nd 5th, 9 to 5. No early sales please. 8605 W. 7 Mile Road (west of Military Road). 1/10

RUMMAGE SALE Household items, tools, two Kitty Kats, electric hospital bed and mattress, Porta Lift, large deluxe wheel chair, all in good condition. Children's, Men's, women's clothes and much more. Friday, Saturday and Sunday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. 5176 S. Stephen Bridge Road, off M-72 East. 1/10

YARD SALE AT 208 CHESTNUT ST. Friday and Saturday. Lots of stuff and a lot of nothing. 1/10

SNOWBLOWER, BLAZE KING INSERT WOODSTOVE, stands, maple table and chairs, lots of men's stuff, freezer, lamps. September 2nd, 3rd and 4th, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Wilcox Bridge Road to Jones Lake Road, end of pavement, turn left, first house from campground. 348-5577. -1/10

10. Garage Sales

THREE FAMILY GARAGE SALE September 2-4, 9 to 4. Lots of things for both men and women. 624 Roberts Road. -1/10

GARAGE SALE: FRIDAY-SATURDAY 9-5. 2 1/2 miles North Down River Road. LH compound bow, RH recurve bow, utility trailer, trailer hitch, small motors, books, comics, dishes, old bottles, clothes, etc. -1/10

SATURDAY

THREE FAMILY yard and garage sale. Saturday and Sunday, September 3rd and 4th, from 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. 520 Isenhauer Road. Three doors past vet's office. -1/10

SEPTEMBER 3 & 4, 9-5. Eight miles east of Grayling on N. Down River Road. 1952 Dodge fire truck; dirt bike; books; Fisher Price and Little Tyke toys; clothing for babies and up; playpen; baby swing; lamps; entertainment center; lots of misc. -1/10

CLOTHING: MEN AND WOMEN'S; household items; '51 Willy's pickup; '68 Chrysler; electric water heater; many other items. First right past Lehman Prison (M-93) September 3rd, and 4th. -1/10

HUGE GARAGE SALE Saturday only, 8 a.m. - 6 p.m. Fruit jars; old jewelry; clothes; linen; twin bed frame; books; double box springs and mattress; pressure cooker; lamps; clarinet; fold-up bike; office chair; pots and pans; TV stand; toaster oven; coffee pots; old Wonder horse; pillows; many more items. Jack Clark, Sr., King Road, off 4-Mile. 348-2216. -1/10

TWO FAMILY GARAGE SALE September 3, 9 a.m., Saturday only, unless rain postpones it to Sunday. 72 W, eight miles to Down River Grocery, turn right approximately one mile to 4498 Riverview. Furniture, golf clubs, clothing, jewelry, dishes, ice cream freezer, much more. -1/10

GARAGE SALE

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0.8 Mile West On Connors Road From McManis Bridge Rd (P-97) -1/10

10. Garage Sales

CONCERNED CITIZENS FOR ANIMALS yard sale, September 3rd and 4th, 9-4. Grounds of the animal shelter, E. M-72 (behind the Eagles Club). Lots of goodies. -1/10

RED WING TERRACE LOT 30 Saturday, September 3, 9-4 p.m. -1/10

6450 OLD LAKE ROAD Saturday only, 9-4. Lots of quality children's clothing size 4-10; snowsuits; winter coats; boots; shoes; child's ski boots (like new), and toys. Also some adult clothing in large sizes; couch and chair, two matching stain glass lamp shades; Tupperware; electric dryer; changing table; and lots of misc. Good prices. -1/10

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SATURDAY, SUNDAY AND MONDAY Antiques, books, clothing, glassware, much more. County Road 612, five miles east of I-75; 1 1/2 miles west from Jones Lake Road. -1/10

YARD SALE: SATURDAY, SEPT. 3 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Girl's clothes, bikes, lots of miscellaneous. 1666 Old Dam Road. -1/10

SUNDAY

SUNDAY ONLY, 9-5 Military Road, just south of 4-Mile Road. Includes 16' truck tires, gas post hole digger, patio screens, x-country skis, prom dresses, bowling balls, waterbed and new Shaker-style furniture. -1/10

September 4th will be the date of the Animal Shelter's Walk-a-thon this year. The first 20 people to sign up will receive a free T-shirt. This is our big event for the animals. We need your help. To sign up to walk or to make a pledge, phone 348-4117. We can't keep the shelter going without your help. -25/10

WANTED: DONATIONS OF CLEAN, saleable items for Concerned Citizens for Animals' annual yard sale. The sale will be held Sept. 3 & 4. No clothing please. Phone 348-4117 for information. -25-1/10

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ST. FRANCIS THRIFT SHOP M-72 West. Open Wednesday through Saturday, 10-4. 348-2572. For sale: Sale on all nightgowns and robes, buy one, get second one for 10¢; music stand; bird cage; fireplace fixtures; hide-a-bed couch; roll-away bed; bassinet; full box springs and mattresses; full and twin size headboards and frames; bar stools; oil stove; cross-country exerciser; small appliances; stereo system; chandeliers; train set; stuffed animals. Clean clothing for entire family including infants. Donations always welcome: furniture, appliances, clothing. Clean, usable items only. Thank you. -1/10

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11. Automotive

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HEALTHLINE

Linda DeMarchis, M.A., Health Educator

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Question: My teenagers have loud stereo systems in their rooms and cars. Could this cause hearing loss?

Answer: It is surprising how many commonplace pieces of equipment present in the home can cause damage to our hearing. In most cases hearing loss is painless and gradual. Twenty million Americans have some form of hearing loss and studies indicate that 60 percent of college freshmen have already suffered mild damage to their hearing.

Hearing loss results from two factors — loudness and time of exposure. The loudness of a sound, known as the decibel level, can cause hearing loss by itself, especially when the decibel level approaches the 70-100 range. This decibel level includes stereos, televisions, radios, power saws, and other commonly used equipment. However, noise at lower levels may be damaging if a person is

exposed to it for a long period of time. If you work or sleep in a room with a noisy air conditioner or watch television for several hours a day, you may be encountering long-term exposure to noise levels that could possibly damage hearing.

In most cases hearing loss is painless and gradual. Damage that cannot be undone may occur before anyone realizes it.

To help protect your hearing, place resilient pads under appliances to absorb noise. When replacing older appliances, look for EPA ratings on sound levels found on new appliances. When you know you'll be around loud sounds, wear earplugs or acoustical ear muffs. Cotton in the ears is not effective in blocking sounds.

To help prevent hearing loss, the state of Michigan has been conducting hearing screening for 50 years. Each year over 650,000 children are screened for potential hearing problems. Of these children, approximately 30,000 are referred to appropriate health care. Hearing screening is provided through the cooperative efforts of the school districts, Michigan Department of Public Health, and local health departments.

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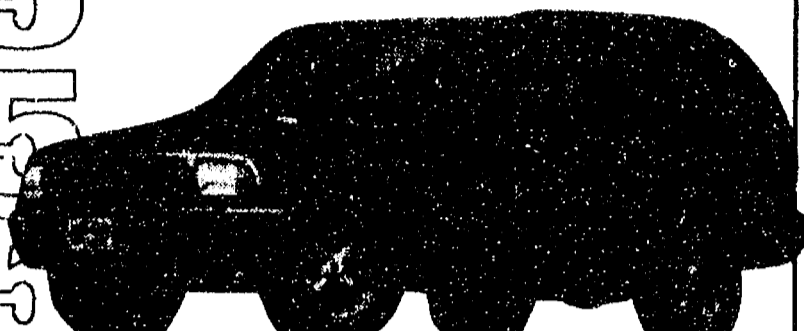
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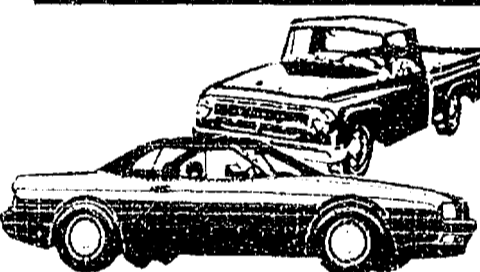
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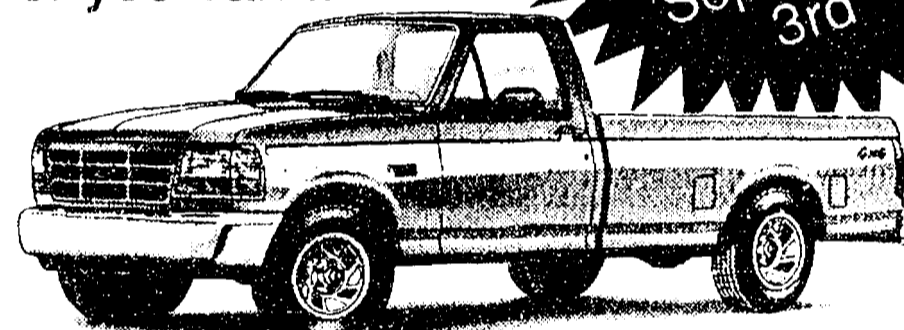
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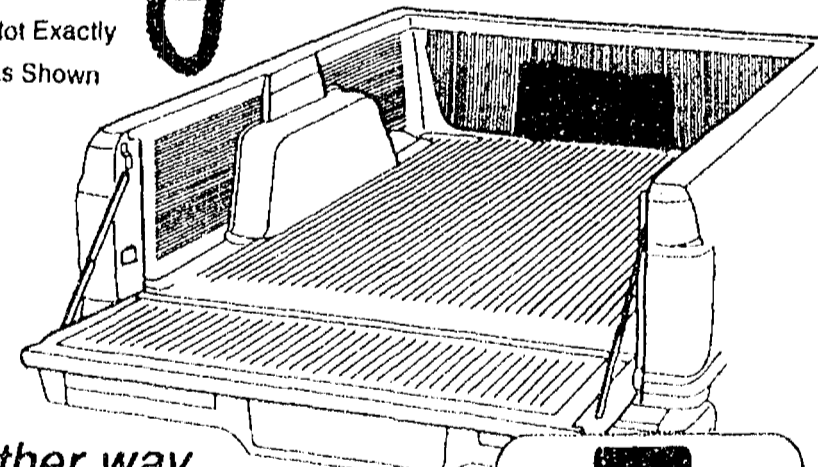
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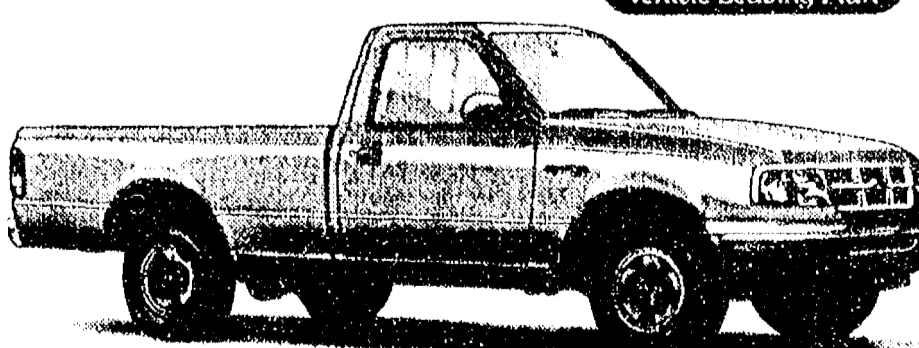


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Chamber of Commerce Update

Chamber membership on the rise

The membership committee of the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce conducted their annual membership drive on Tuesday, Aug. 23. According to membership chairman, Dr. Bill Dean, over 100 local businesses were contacted to become partners in the chamber during the drive by the committee members. Potential member businesses were identified, and

sent invitations stating that they would be contacted during the drive. To date, almost 20 local businesses have taken advantage of the opportunity to become a member of the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce. According to chamber officials this makes the number of chamber member firms 340 — an all time record for the Grayling regional chamber. All of the prospects were contacted, however, some businesses that had answering

machines were not able to be contacted directly. "If we missed some businesses that are interested in supporting the community by investing in the chamber, I certainly hope that they will take the initiative to call the chamber," said Chamber Director Deborah Allen.

Make sure you are included

The 1994-95 Chamber Membership Directory and Community Profile is already being compiled for the

upcoming publication. Every chamber member business that is current with their 1994-95 investment will be included in the directory both alphabetically and categorically. Don't miss out on this valuable opportunity to promote your business to over 3,000 potential customers.

Are you beautiful?

Are you doing a great job in keeping your place of business beautiful or do you know someone who is? If so, the chamber encourages you to nominate them for the prestigious "Silver Lining Award." This award is given out quarterly by the chamber to encourage businesses to take pride in their place of business and to keep Grayling clean! To nominate a business simply call the chamber office at 348-2921 and tell us the business' name. The beautification committee of the chamber will review the nominated businesses and make a decision. The award will be presented at the October "Business After Hours."

Education committee focuses on Junior Achievement

The education committee of the chamber has been working in partnership with the Crawford AuSable School District to provide an innovative program offered through the Junior Achievement Organization. Initial pilot programs were offered in the eighth and ninth grade classes last year. This year the course study in the eighth grade class will be "Project Business." At the ninth grade level "The Economics of Staying in School" will be presented. This program highlights daily living expenses and the implications associated with dropping out of school. Each class is sponsored by an area business which supplies the funding and business consultants, who were trained through the Michigan Junior Achievement Network. The classes will begin in October and are being offered as a partnership between business and education to better prepare our students for the "world of work."

Grayling Area Visitors Council

Invites Its Members To The

1994 Annual Dinner Meeting

Tuesday, September 20, 1994

To Be Held At

The Grayling Holiday Inn

6:30 p.m. Cocktails

7 p.m. Dinner • 8 p.m. Annual Meeting

Thank You

Military Reception Sponsors:

American Legion	Glen's Market
Aquarama Motor Lodge	Grayling Generating Station
Camp Grayling Officer's Club	Grayling State Bank
Carlisle Paddle Company	Holiday Inn of Grayling
Century 21	Hospitality House Motel
Chemical Bank	Kirtland Community College
City Environmental Services	Tom & Jan Hunt
City of Grayling	Mercy Hospital
Empire National Bank	North Country Lodge
Fabiano Brothers	Old Kent Bank
Fox Run Country Club	Pointe North Motel
Frederic Inn	River Country Motor Lodge
Iron Gate Restaurant	Weyerhaeuser

The Chamber Welcomes The Following New Businesses:

Tee's N Such R Us, Ltd
Arthur & Bonnie Vogel
6746 West M-72
Grayling, MI 49738
348-4170

Farm Bureau Insurance
Herb Olson
Chris Dunckley
308 N. James Street
Grayling, MI 49738
348-9456

R & R Repair & Refinish
Rick Reed
P.O. Box 1110
Grayling, MI 49738
348-3231

Tri-Lakes Home Builders Association
Wilma Barber, Exec.
P.O. Box 25
Roscommon, MI 48653-0025

Grayling Red Barn
Paul & Colleen Schroder
M-72 West & M-93 South
Grayling, MI 49738
348-8932

Scrub Board Laundromat & Waggon Wheel Cleaning Center
Karl & Shirley VanderVeer
2252 I-75 Business Loop
Grayling, MI 49738
348-8521 or 348-9844

Belknap's Hanson House Bed & Breakfast
Howard & Deborah Belknap
604 Peninsular Street
Grayling, MI 49738
348-6630

Industrial Controls
Ken Wright
Howard Grosser
Barb Wolcott
2342 Industrial Dr.
Grayling, MI 49738
348-8022

Mobil Mart-Grayling Take Away Inc.
Pam Sager
2615 S. I-75 Business Loop
Grayling, MI 49738
348-7978

BETHCO Inc./aka Dairy Queen
Gary & Patricia McLaughlin
305 James Street
Grayling, MI 49738
348-9511

Grayling Entertainment
Deb Weaver
500 N. James Street.
Grayling, MI 49738
348-2000

Transmission Exchange
Jeff & Sharon Theaker
County Rd. 612,
Rt 3 Box 3521
Grayling, MI 49738
348-3133

Jim's Well Drilling
Hal Carlson
P.O. Box 98
Grayling, MI 49738
348-8788

Abel's Auto Parts
Larry E. Myas
8255 Old U.S. 27 N.
Frederic, MI 49733
348-2864

Independent Automobile Inspection
Jim Hilbrecht
710 Little John
Grayling, MI 49738
348-7877

AFLAC
Dawn Dandy, Shirley Rauch
& Kris Horton, DSC
P.O. Box 216
Grayling, MI 49738
348-8317

G's Dollar +
Gary Hasson
Michigan Avenue
Grayling, MI 49738

Continental Rental
Tom Ramsey
303 S. James St.
Grayling, MI 49738
348-2499

McCaun's Welding Service
Bobby & Natascha McCuan Jr.
107 East Drive
Grayling, MI 49738
348-6016

Milltown Groomer
L. Ward Parker
1205 Michigan Avenue
Grayling, MI 49738
348-4104

Taco Bell
Mr. John Jacobson
2187 S. I-75 BL
Grayling, MI 49738

The Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce

cordially invites you to the

Annual Dinner

1994 Citizen of the Year &
1994 Athena Award Presentation

Saturday, December 3, 1994

Complimentary Cocktails 6:00 p.m. - Diner 6:30 p.m.

Annual Meeting 7:30 p.m.

\$10,000 Chamber Challenge Raffle

Validation of tickets 8:30 p.m.

Raffle Drawing 9:00 p.m. - 12 Midnight

Grayling Holiday Inn
I-75 Business Loop South
Grayling, Michigan

Tickets \$100.00 per couple - Cash Bar

Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce

Golf "Fun" Drive

Thursday, September 15, 1994

- Rain or Shine -

Grayling Country Club

I-75 Business Loop
Grayling, Michigan



Check In - 11:30a.m.

Picnic Lunch 12 noon/ Shotgun Start 1:00p.m.

9 Hole - 4 Partner Scramble
- Open to Men and Women -

\$25 (per person) Entry Fee Includes:
Lunch - 9 Holes with Cart - Beverage Cart

&
"Business After Hours" Reception

Sponsored by

CELLULARONE

5p.m. - 7p.m.

Prizes & Contests of "Skill" (ie: "Paddle Putting" and "Club Tossing")

Registration Deadline: September 9, 1994

